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MAD DOG CAUSES PANIC

GIANT ZEPPELIN AIRSHIP BURNED

Zeppelin airship destroyed to-day in storm after a record-breaking flight. The ship was torn from its moorings and burned in the air.

Storm Tears Great Balloon From Moorings and It Takes Fire in Air—Six Persons Injured in Effort to Save Machine.

BERLIN, Aug. 5.—Count Zeppelin's great airship was torn away from its moorings while undergoing repairs to-day and was totally destroyed by flames that developed as it was carried away.

Six persons were seriously injured in a heroic effort to save the monster flying machine. Count Zeppelin himself narrowly escaped injury.

This unexpected catastrophe puts an end for the time being to the attempt of the Count to win the $500,000 offered by the German government for an airship that would make a continuous trip of twenty-four hours.

The destruction of the great aerial craft came while an attempt was being made to repair some of the machinery that was broken early to-day. This was the second mishap of the trip. When the aerial liner neared Stuttgart the motor broke and it was necessary to drop to earth to make repairs. It was while this was going on that a sudden squall swept the machine to its destruction.

A fierce electrical storm was raging. When the storm broke with sudden fury those in charge of the airship were not prepared for the fierce gale. The airship broke away and soared skyward. It was seen suddenly that the gas bag was afame.

The Count had covered 310 miles since he started yesterday, breaking all records for distance, when the break in the motor necessitated his descent.

The airship was totally destroyed by an explosion of the motors, the fragile aluminum framework being torn apart by the force releasing the gas bag. The craft shot like a blazing meteor through the sky. The explosion was caused by a benzine motor catching fire while the workmen were fixing the metal propeller.

The first mishap befell the Zeppelin ship yesterday afternoon at Mayence. It was of a minor nature and was soon repaired and the trip resumed.

Count Zeppelin started on his journey at 6:45 o'clock yesterday morning from the shed at Friedrichshafen, on the shore of Lake Constance. His intention was to sail for twenty-four consecutive hours, proving the practicability of aerial navigation. After various trials he thought he had his ship in such perfect condition that he would not meet with a single mishap.

Notwithstanding the accidents which befell him, Count Zeppelin established a new record in aerial sailing. A profound sensation has been created by the success of the Count in keeping afloat as long as he did. Everyone along the route knew of the big floating craft was excited. At Basle the military authorities turned out in honor to the Count and fired many salutes as his car sped like a bird above the city.

At this point the Count dropped a card upon which was written: "Everything is well, I am now going to Strassburg." At this point the aeronaut was 600 feet in the air and gliding along apparently with the greatest ease. At Mannheim thousands of people turned out to watch the strange sight. Artillery boomed and people cheered mightily as the car circled this way and that, answering the slightest pressure of the pilot. At Mayence the turn was made, and the Count began to retrace on his homeward voyage.

The return trip was not so successful. Soon after leaving Mayence trouble began to develop with the mechanism of the car. This grew gradually worse until it was seen that Count Zeppelin was preparing to descend. The outward feature of the car was here made evident. On account of its bulk it cannot be landed anywhere except upon a body of water. That was why Count Zeppelin had closely hugged the Rhine. After the repairs had been made the craft was returned to Mayence and preparations were made for the starting of the second voyage.

This airship is known as No. 4, No. 3 having been sold by him to the German Government for a large sum.

REPORT SULTAN STABBED

Assassin Said to Have Attempted Life of Moslem Ruler in Palace.

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Private messages received here to-day from Constantinople and Geneva state that Abdul Hamid, Sultan of Turkey, was stabbed and seriously injured.

It is said that a minor official in the palace of the Sultan sank a dagger into his body, penetrating narrowly near the heart. The reports are not officially confirmed.

Members of the Young Turks party are believed to have been responsible for the attempted assassination of the ruler of Turkey, who, while he so recently granted the long-demanded constitution, did not give the radicals all they wanted.

The dispatches which are received here have come through an agent of the Young Turks party in Geneva.

It is said that in Turkey every effort is being made by the authorities to prevent the news from becoming public.

Revolution Feared.

So great is the unrest there that it is feared that the very hint of the attempted assassination of the Sultan would fan the flames of revolution into an irrepressible flame and that the country would be in an uproar at once.

The dispatch stating that the Sultan was stabbed near the heart narrated that the coat of mixed steel mail which the Sultan constantly wears next to his body deflected the blade and possible saved his life.

Another report from the same Geneva source is that the palace official, a tool of the Young Turks party, stealthily approached the Sultan from behind and, springing at him sank a dagger into his back, the blade penetrating to its hilt.

No direct confirmation has been received as yet from the Yildiz Kiosk, as every avenue of information from the Sultan's palace is so carefully guarded that the real news does not get out.

The reports from Geneva state that the assailant of the Sultan was instantly arrested and thrown into a dungeon.

The Sultan, since he granted the constitution, thought his life secure. Twice since he granted the instrument fought for so long by the radicals and Young Turks he has appeared in public in the streets. His reception was so cordial each time that he declared that he was not afraid to go anywhere.

Because of this he relaxed his accustomed caution in his own palace and this enabled the emissary of the radicals to attempt his assassination.

The Turkish Embassy here refuses to give out any information, if any indeed has been received. It is known that every effort is being made by the Embassy here to learn the exact facts from the palace in Constantinople.

The Young Turks, while delighted that they had got a constitution from Abdul Hamid, were thrown into the greatest discontent by his insisting on the right to name the ministers of war and the navy. They claimed that this was contrary to the provisions of articles 37 of the constitution, which only gave Abdul Hamid the right to name the Grand Vizier and the Sheik-ul-Islam.

The Young Turk committee demanded compliance with the plain letter of the constitution in accordance with instructions from the central committee at Salonika. Until this time their representations to the Sultan had received no indication of his compliance.

The Young Turks declared the point was a vital one and the indifference shown to their demands by the Sultan maddened many of them.

HARRY P. WHITNEY GETS $330 DAMAGES

PITTSFIELD, Aug. 5.—Harry Payne Whitney, of New York, was among the beneficiaries of the awards of deer and sheep damages by the County Commissioners. He received $200 for a raid of dogs on the sheep at his October Mountain place.

Now is the time to build a home for yourself. Everything that goes to make up a house is cheaper than for years past and you may now build for about one-fourth less than it would have cost you last season. They claimed that this was contrary to the See next Sunday's AMERICAN.

100,000 CHEER KNIGHTS IN BIG STREET PARADE

PYTHIANS IN PICTURESQUE UNIFORMS BRAVE STORM AFTER LONG DELAY.

To the strains of martial music from a score bands, with flags fluttering in the breeze and with enthusiastic thousands crowding the streets and cheering vociferously, between 6,000 and 8,000 members of subordinate lodges of the Knights of Pythias and temples of Pythians Sisters paraded this morning in the big spectacular pageant of Pythian week.

In point of picturesqueness the parade outrivaled that of yesterday. A heavy rain, however, early in the day and lowering skies throughout the morning kept many lodges away, but in view of the conditions the general officers were well pleased at the showing.

With yesterday's parade of a distinct military character, that to-day was a purely civic affair. Strikingly spectacular features in the line were thirty-five colorful floats, representative of historical Pythian ideas, and a dozen gaily decorated drags which carried daintily gowned women delegates to the sister lodge convention from distant parts of the United States.

Fully 10,000 people were crowded about the upper end of the Public Garden when the procession moved from Arlington and Boylston streets at 11:15 o'clock.

One hundred patrolmen were on duty, and all the streets in the adjacent neighborhood were roped off. The order to move was given by Chief Marshal George L. Wragg, P. G. C. of Mystic Lodge, Chelsea. Delay of at least one hour was caused in starting by the refusal of Police Captain Jones f o the Back Bay station to allow any of the Pythian bodies to assemble on either side of Commonwealth avenue. This action precipitated considerable confusion, and for a time it looked as though the Pythian parade might develop into a general Pythian indignation meeting.

The first bodies to arrive were the Mystic and Crow Point lodges. They had been ordered to form on Commonwealth avenue, but when they got there they found the street roped off and closed against them. Yesterday the street was open.

Police Close Street.

The Pythians couldn't understand the meaning of Captain Jones's action, although the captain claimed it was because a steam roller was working in the street and the authorities did not want to stop its operations.

The Mystic and Crow Point lodges had to march on to Beacon and Marlboro streets, taking by agreement that lead been reserved for other lodges. In this way the confusion arose.

Lodges were lost track of by their commanding officers and everybody was making complaint. Finally, when Marshal Wragg arrived, a protest was made at police headquarters and the street was opened. Then all plans to start promptly on time were shattered.

Wragg Leads Parade.

With Marshal Wragg and a platoon of mounted police at the head of the procession

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BURCHELL BOOKED TO WIN FOR THE RED SOX

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	CHICAGO.
McConnell, 2b.	Hahn, r.f.
Lord, 3b.	Jones, r.f.
Sullivan, c.f.	Dougherty, l.f.
Lewis, r.f.	Donohue, s.s.
Thoney, l.f.	Davis, 2b.
Stahl, 1b.	Parent, s.s.
Wagner, s.s.	Sullivan, c.
Criger, c.	Purtell, 3b.
Burchell, p.	Smith, p.

Umpires—Sheridan and Egan.

SOUTH SIDE BASEBALL PARK, Chicago, Aug. 5.—Burchell, one of Manager Mc-Guire's youngsters, and Frank Smith, the "quit lady" star, were booked to hook up in a pitchers' battle in the second game between the Boston Red Sox and the Chicago White Sox this afternoon. At any rate these two warmed up before the game, and as both seemed in great condition it looked a good, acting a triple and two doubles in four times at the bat.

The weather was of the torrid brand, and the athletes five minutes after they got on the diamond looked as if they had just stepped from beneath a shower bath.

and did it so easily and so thoroughly that they were certainly could repeat.

The Red Sox are a good deal faster than any Eastern team in the American League right now, and Detroit is about the only Western team that has anything on them. The play of the Red Sox was a revelation in the first game. All the holes that were so apparent, on the first trip have been plugged, and the crowd looks like a pennant-winning aggregation.

Manager McGuire declares that his men will go in the hunt for the pennant next year. To gain the top of the first division this season means that the Bostons will have to oust the Athletics out of that berth. "I'm not saying who we will oust," said McGuire, "but we certainly will land fifth."

The manager declares that he has no trades in view, and is well satisfied with the way the men line up now. Travath was a whole team with the bat in the first game, and looks about as much like the Travath that played there in the first trip as an old penny does when put alongside the new $20 gold piece. He slugged like a

LIGHTNING HIT SOUND LINER; 400 IN PANIC

FALL RIVER, Aug. 5.—While rounding Point Judith at 2 a. m. to-day, the Fall River liner Priscilla was struck by a heavy bolt of lightning which completely demolished the wireless telegraph apparatus, then glanced off into the sea, doing no further damage. Panic reigned for a time among the four hundred passengers who were awakened by the tremendous crash of the thunder.

The Priscilla was plowing her way from New York to this port through a dense fog when a heavy electrical storm struck her. It began to play about the boat. A bolt leaped through the gloomy sky and blazing struck the lofty mast supporting the wireless apparatus with a sharp crack like a whip. At the same instant a deafening crash of thunder followed.

Officers at watch on the boat deck at the time saw the bolt strike the mast and then leap into the sea. The thunder reverberated through the entire boat, and staterooms doors were flung open and scores of affrighted passengers rushed out into the gallery and main saloons.

Captain Appleby, to whom the real extent of the damage had been reported at once, as he stood at his post in the wheel house, dispatched members of the crew to all parts of the boat to quiet the passengers. This was a hard task at first, for all sorts of alarming reports and conjectures were spreading like wildfire among the scared people.

Captain Appleby find his crew were in charge of the Puritan last Winter when fire broke out in the cargo of the baggage deck caught fire. They managed to keep the passengers reassured until all had been transferred to the steamer Richard Peck, when the flames were extinguished.

To-day the same steady nerve was displayed by the captain and every man of his crew, who quickly found that their vessel had not suffered, and busied themselves quieting their passengers. It was more than an hour after the vessel was struck that entire quiet and peace of mind were restored.

PYTHIAN FLOAT BREAKS DOWN; 7 WOMEN HURT

Seven women were thrown from one of the prettiest floats in the Knights of Pythias city-wide parade this afternoon when the decorated vehicle was being driven past the Eye and Ear Infirmary at Charles and Fruit streets.

Each one of the women was hurt, one so badly that she was hurried to the Massachusetts General Hospital. The others were able to go to their homes in street cars.

A nut fastening the left rear wheel to its place on the axle came off and the wheel rolled from the wagon, throwing the women standing on that part of the float violently to the ground. The float, that of the John W. Wiggin Temple Pythian Sisters of Somerville, was so badly damaged that it was out of commission for the rest of the day.

For a time panic reigned as the women, striking crash, into the street, some of them being so badly injured that they were not able to rise.

The most severely injured:

Johnson, Mrs. of Court street, Medford; taken to Massachusetts General Hospital. The less seriously injured:

Jones, Mrs. Edward, No. 230 Main street, Melrose.

Lewis, Miss Etta, Somerville.

Bolton, Miss Edith, No. 24 Whittier street, Melrose.

Munn, Miss Hattie E., No. 29 Rockland street, Melrose Highlands.

Snow, Mrs., Somerville.

Young, Mrs. Ellsworth avenue, Melrose Highlands.

SEEK BOOKS IN $60,000 SUIT

LOWELL, Aug. 5.—Because he refuses to turn over the funds, books and papers of the Ministry-at-Large, a charitable society of this city, to Harvey B. Green, the latter has brought suit in court at Cambridge for $15,000, deposited in one of the banks here.

The Ministry-at-Large declares that Mr. Chandler's actions have impaired its credit and hampered it in its work. James Hill, city solicitor, is the attorney for the Ministry-at-Large.

PYTHIANS IN SECOND HUGE PARADE TO-DAY

Clouded Skies Again Frown on the Order, but They Prepare for Their Pageant With Zeal.

Thomas L. Hisgen, the Presidential Candidate, One of the Guests of Honor of the Big Gathering.

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blog, there followed carriages containing distinguished members of the supreme lodge, most of them from New England. Then a band led the marchers. There were ten divisions.

All of the feature floats, tally-hos, drags and sight-seeing automobiles occupied places with the lodges to which they belonged. The carriage made up one division for themselves, bringing up the rear of the procession.

Police ambulances were stationed at convenient points along the route of march, and in addition to that Marshal Wragg had the ministering and surgical staff, under Dr. R. A. Graves, assigned to various divisions as an additional precaution.

A mighty cheer went up from the 10,000 spectators at the starting point when the order to march was given. Marshal Wragg, mounted on a coal black charger, made a distinguished looking commanding officer. His uniform and those of the members of his staff gleamed like a new silver dollar.

Mystic Lodge of Chelsea, was designated in the parade by a mammoth banner which bore the inscription:

"We couldn't burn up;
We didn't burn down."

It provoked general laughter all along the route of march. One hundred men of Apollo Lodge, No. 74, also of Chelsea, looked spick and span in natty white duck suits, with caps to match.

Several hundred men from the provinces marched in modern Roman costume. The members of Unity lodge, No. 41 of Roxbury, rode in three large sight-seeing automobiles. Worcester Lodge of Worcester turned out sixty men in unique "Uncle Sam uniforms." They were generously applauded.

The floats in the parade were as fine as any ever seen on a street parade in Boston. Liberty Lodge No. 126 had a float representing the first convention of the Pythian order in Washington.

Six horses drew the float of H. I. Allen Lodge No. 161, called "Charity," in which twenty-five pretty young women, gowned in white, rode.

Firemen's Lodge of Lynn had a float representing an American fire engine, and all the members were imitations of old-fashioned fire chiefs.

Winter Hill Lodge of Somerville had a float representing a powder house, with soldiers in continental uniform.

Marched Hour and Ten Minutes.

The first of the parade reached Boston Common and disbanded at 12:55 o'clock, just one hour and ten minutes after the time of starting. A light rain fell just before 1 p. m., but it did not interfere to any extent with the pageant.

Sun Breaks Through Clouds.

Occasionally as the procession moved on and the sun seemed from behind inky black clouds, which at times seemed on the verge of breaking into a deluge of rain, cyclers, and the Pythians and women of the Sisterhood were happy.

Among the women folks there was especial appreciation lest the autumn might continue. Severe rain would not only have meant driving them out of the parade, but it would mean the spoiling of the handsome Pythian emblems they had made for the occasion. And, worst of all, it would have meant the ruination of some dainty dresses. Fortunately for the marchers, the rain fell or rain was kind. He deluged Boston with rain before the Pythians and the Sisterhood women got up this morning and he turned off the sky faucet just in time to save the parade.

He had the dust well laid in the streets when the column moved on its march. Therefore he was just generous when he let the rain clouds lower strong enough to sage carriages.

From the grand stand at the Common the parade was reviewed by the supreme officers, by Mayor Gaynor and General staff and by city officers.

There was another reviewing stand at Postoffice Square. The entire line of march was unexcitedly successful, and every street was thronged with Boston and visiting sight-seers. The columns disbanded at Park Square just before 1 o'clock.

PYTHIAN SISTERS IN BIG PARADE

Snapshot by Boston American staff photographer of Lynn Temple, Pythian Sisterhood, as it appeared on electric float in to-day's big procession.

ROSTER OF TO-DAY'S PYTHIAN PAGEANT

Chief Marshal George E. Wragg has issued orders for the roster of to-day's big Pythian parade, as follows:

The line will be formed on Common wealth avenue, its right resting on Arlington street, north side of Commonwealth avenue. Lodges and features will take places in the following order:

Escort of police, Teel's band, Boston Lodge No. 3, escorting Chief Marshal George E. Wragg and Staff, P. C., composed of E. E. Simms, chief of staff; Hon. R. L. Wood, Mayor of Haverhill; Hon. T. M. Porter, Mayor of Lynn, J. N. Healy, Mayor of Salem; Senator Frank Sherman, Hon. John E. Beck, Hon. S. H. Thurber, George E. Wye, A. P. Payett, George F. Harding, Dr. Ben Read Hagerou, Dr. Fred W. Mansfield, Dr. E. M. Bowker, H. P. Bradley, Jesse H. Field, H. T. Seals, J. F. Reed, Capt. M. J. Flint, Capt. C. H. Chappell, Capt. R. F. Thurlow, Capt. George Whittle, Lieut. L. Crichton and Lieut. H. T. Pond, Lieut. E. S. Belcher, and Lieut. D. Roberts.

Carriages containing Grand Chancellor George W. Hunneman, Vice Chancellor Grand James Hargraves, Grand Prelate Rev. Allen A. Stockdale, Past Grand Chancellor John Ballantyne, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal George C. Howe, Grand Master of Exchequer William H. Brown, Grand Master-at-Arms George E. Cleves, Grand Outer Guard L. L. Wellcome, Grand Trustees Freeman E. Hodges, John Leucy, Will C. Eddy, Grand Lodge officers of Rhode Island, Connecticut, Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire and Grand Temple Pythian Sisters.

Division No. 1—De Soto Lodge, as escort to marshal of first division, Colonel R. H. Harrison, marshal; Colonel J. Edson Lewis, chief of staff; Major James H. Walsh, Major Ralph J. Hamilton, Major Frank E. Hills, Boston Lodge No. 1, Scandia Lodge No. 2, Mount Vernon Lodge No. 3, Bunker Hill Lodge No. 10, King Philip Lodge No. 13, Columbian Lodge No. 14, Mystic Lodge No. 16, King Solomon Lodge No. 17, Mount Olivet Lodge No. 19, Commonwealth Lodge No. 19, Marathon Lodge No. 23, Knight Templar Lodge No. 24, Bunker Hill Lodge No. 77, Roger Sherman Lodge No. 78, Everett Lodge No. 82, Waterfall Lodge No. 83, Waterown Lodge No. 143, Faulkner Lodge No. 144, Friendship Lodge No. 144, Friendship Lodge No. 92, Henry C. Allen Lodge No. 93, Triton Lodge No. 94, Horace Greeley Lodge No. 146, Saboj Lodge No. 167, Shawmut Lodge No. 165, Newton Lodge No. 166, Mount Auburn Lodge No. 167, Pentucket Lodge No. 111, Aspinwall Lodge No. 168, Hyde Park Lodge No. 172, Massachusetts Pythian Hospital ambulance.

Division No. 2—Marshal, Arthur W. Greeh, marshal; John P. Rudy, chief of staff; Captain Frank Hill, Captain Frank Ross; Peter Woodland Lodge, No. 72; Lynn Lodge, No. 73; Salem Lodge, No. 74; Ionic Lodge, No. 81; General Cogswell, No. 84; Franklin Lodge, No. 85; Wiggin Temple, P. S., Gloucester, No. 104; Constantine, No. 88; Cape Ann, No. 53; Rockport Lodge, No. 79; Beverly Lodge, No. 80; Ocean View, No. 84; Saugus, No. 94; Saugus Temple, P. S., No. 107; Hamilton, No. 96; Danvers, No. 187; A. C. Moody, No. 99; Riverside Lodge No. 100; Peabody Lodge, No. 115; Mineah, No. 129; Winter Hill, No. 136; Paul Revere, No. 136; Paul Revere Temple, P. S.

Division No. 3—Fred L. Howe, marshal. Will form on Marlboro street, right resting on Arlington street, in the following order: Joseph H. Carr, chief of staff; E. C. Frost, W. A. Sparrow, M. A. Lawrence, aids. Quincy Lodge No. 4; Providence Lodge No. 4; South Framingham; Puritan Temple, South Framingham; Olympian Lodge No. 22, West Adams; Marlboro Lodge No. 65, Marlboro; Myrtle Lodge No. 61, Natick; Ivy Temple, Pythian Sisters, Natick; Eureka Lodge No. 64, Whittenville; Williamsburg Lodge No. 67, Williamsburg; Fidelity Lodge No. 68, Brewster; Armor Lodge No. 81, Southbridge; 84, Rhno Lodge No. 87, Westfield; Columbia Lodge No. 100, Leominster; Freedom Lodge No. 121, Worcester; Progressive Lodge No. 191, Maynard; Hampden Lodge No. 149, Holyoke; Henry S. Lee Lodge No. 151, Springfield; Pentucket Lodge No. 152, Pitchburg; Harbinger Lodge No. 206, Ayer.

Division No. 4—Captain James Forbes, marshal; will form on Marlboro street, right resting on Dartmouth street, in following order: John M. Tucker, chief of staff, Lawrence; aids, C. W. Wood, Somerville; Albert C. Gaming, Haverhill; George McLean, Jr., Lawrence; Lawrence and Methuen lodges, Kenwood Lodge, Ipswich; Moulton Lodge, Haverhill Lodge, Pythian Sisters of Haverhill; Pinutian Lodge, Amesbury; Salisbury lodges, Cambridge lodges, William McKinley Lodge, Wakefield; James Lodge, Arlington; Lowell lodges.

Division No. 5—E. S. Dolan, Marshal, will form on Newbury street, right resting corner of Arlington street, in following order: Hamoches Lodge, No. 16; Harmony Lodge, No. 22; Dionysius Lodge, No. 112; Monomolls Lodge, No. 125; Norfolk Lodge, No. 139; Howard Lodge, No. 139; Pilot Hill Lodge, No. 114; Plymouth Rock Lodge, No. 43; Pilgrim Lodge, No. 97; Chesuncook Lodge, No. 150; Delphi Lodge, No. 15; Old Colony Lodge, No. 118; Hingham Lodge, No. 136; Taunton Lodge, No. 93; Orient Lodge, No. 107; Summer Lodge, No. 62; Arbutus Lodge, No. 123; Fall River lodges.

Division No. 6, Rhode Island lodges—W. H. Eyddall, marshal. Form on Newbury street, right resting on corner of Exeter street.

Division No. 7, Connecticut lodges—T. W. Mitchell, marshal. Will form on Newbury street, right resting on corner of Fairfield street.

Division No. 8, New Hampshire lodges—E. G. Webster, marshal. Form on Marlboro street, right resting on corner of Exeter street.

Division No. 9, Vermont lodges—C. M. Wiley, marshal. Form on Marlboro street, right resting corner of Glouster street.

Division No. 10, Carriages—Lewis G. Smith, marshal. Members take places according to number of lodge, beginning at the lowest number, and will form on Beacon street, corner of Arlington, and not be provided for in the above will be assigned to division Nos. 8 and 9.

Floats, tallyhos, drags and sightseeing automobiles containing lodge members of Pythian sisters were placed in line with the lodge to which they belong.

PYTHIAN BOARD OF CONTROL ELECTION CAUSE OF CONTEST

One of the most important questions to be determined by the supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, at its convention now in session, will be as to the future of the insurance department, formerly known as the endowment rank.

There are millions wrapped up in the insurance department, the members paying a monthly assessment upon their policies, which run in value from $1,000 to $5,000.

For two or three years there have been suggestions of extravagant management.

Because of the great power the board of control exerts in accepting of the large sums of money which it expends and invests there will be a hard fight between two factions to get the management of the insurance department into their hands.

On one side there is the opinion that thinks the insurance department should be run wholly upon fraternal lines without idea of making money. On the other hand there is the feeling that thinks that there should be closer adherence to the policy of the old line companies.

Ferd F. S. Neal of Indianapolis is the president of the board of control, but it is a certainty that he will be elected again and he will have a hand in getting the men on the board whom he thinks are to be trusted. It is believed there will be a return to the federal plan of insurance writing.

BAY STATE WOMEN ENTERTAIN 300 PYTHIAN SISTERS

Between 300 and 400 representative women were present last night at the reception tendered at Fraternity building by the Massachusetts Temple of Pythian Sisters to visiting members.

In the line were many prominent in the order, and a good deal of interest was aroused by the presence of Mrs. Ida M. Weaver, one of the founders of the order, was a prominent figure, while Mrs. Belle Quinlan of Galesburg, Ill., who was instrumental in consolidating the Rathbone Sisters and the Pythian Sisters, was one of the centres of attraction. Mrs. Quinlan is a practicing attorney.

Other in the receiving line were Mrs. Alice Dilworth of Omaha, Neb., past supreme chief; Mrs. Lizzie C. Mellor, past supreme chief; Mrs. Anna M. Young of Zanesville, O., supreme chief, and Mrs. Nellie Merriam of Muskogee, Okla. who will probably be the next supreme chief of the Supreme Temple.

PYTHIANS TO HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICES AFTER BIG PARADE

Prior to the parade this morning the Supreme Lodge held a brief business session at the Hotel Brunswick. This afternoon the Committee on Resolutions will report, memorial services will be held in the Union Congregational Church, Columbus avenue and West Newton street, and the second degree will be exemplified for the Pythian children by the staff of Rathbone Assembly No. 11 of Haverhill.

EXTRA POLICE NOW GUARD CAMP LYON

The threatened breaking up of the Pythian camp at Franklin Field, due to General Arthur J. Stobbart's protest because of lack of police protection and the latter's refusal to accept Sheriff Cherrington's offer of him, has been averted. The police have explained their side and sent officers to guard the camp, the Pythians have recognized their responsibilities in the care of their own valuables, and the incident is closed.

To-day extra officers are about the camp, both in uniform and in citizens' clothes, but there is a noticeable increase of vigilance on the part of the Pythians themselves. Men armed with their swords kept the campers away from the tents at night and men were constantly moving about in camp till well into the morning hours.

The adjustment was effected by the Pythians accepting the demand of the police to see that all policemen sent to the grounds to do duty were fed. This Colonel Stibbs, acting in place of General Stobbart, readily agreed to see to.

KNIGHTS FROM ALL SECTIONS SIGN REGISTER

The following new names have been registered at the Pythian registry bureau of the BOSTON AMERICAN at Nos. 80 and 82 Summer street and its downtown office at No. 264 Washington street:

New York—Leo Levinson, Louis S. Lotz, Philip Hollister, S. A. Lanzer, Louis Loos, James K. Browne, Charles Meyer, Henry Wilkins, August Schroder, John Schroder, Harry Watkins, New York city; New Rochelle, B. J. Hines, William Valentine, William Kirchoff, Charles A. Herman, Nyack; George Heinrich, Charles A. Hermans; Sidney, O. N. Waters, E. S. Power; Athens, E. Briggs, J. A. Cosgrove, Poughkeepsie, Augustus Briggs; Albany, C. Smith; Elmira, Mrs. C. Cammell; Newburg, J. Conlish; Ithaca, W. Van Noethlig, G. F. Ribble; Buffalo, A. J. Wolf, Jr.; Rochester, Hermann Beyer, A. J. Shultz, H. Breithart; Mellenville, G. J. Anderson; Rochester, Mary Kelly, Clara Schrauf.

Maine—J. W. Warren, E. S. Sweet, Kenebunk; L. P. Beans, O. B. Garwell, Bethel; Portland, Mrs. Hall.

New Hampshire—W. P. White, Moultonboro; H. Berry, Belmont; F. D. Sawyer, Wolfboro; D. E. McLeon, Groveton.

Vermont—S. F. Hatch, Bellows Falls; E. B. Jacobs, Rutland; L. E. Crane, J. O. Seeley, E. M. Taylor, Middlebury; J. W. Green, Burlington.

Massachusetts—Mrs. G. W. Eldridge, Brockton; Mrs. N. F. Converse, Worcester; Mrs. L. Danielson, Southbridge; G. F. Doney, Orange; G. H. Sanborn, North Adams; J. A. Brownell, Fall River; A. B. Hodges, Taunton.

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ENGLISHMAN FILES SECOND HADLEY WILL

That the fight for the $750,000 estate of Benjamin Hadley, the Somerville miser who bequeathed $10,000 to "the President of the United States," will be one of the most sensational in the annals of Middlesex County Probate became more apparent today when Charles J. Jones of Trowbridge, England, filed a petition for the probate of the second of the three wills that are discovered. In this will the Englishman is named as sole executor.

Hadley was reputed to be the wealthiest man in Somerville. The first of his wills to be presided, but which contained a codicil; dated November 10 last, was filed by Warner, Warner & Stackpole of Boston. Its date is September 20, 1899. The "Jones" will is a petition for the probate of which was filed to-day, contains the bequest to the President. Hadley has a number of heirs in Greater Boston. To-day's petition is returnable September 14.

REVERE LIFE-SAVING CREW TO HOLD DANCE

The Independent Life-Saving Crew of Revere street, Revere, will have a dance at the Atlantic Hotel, Revere, Saturday night, August 8. The proceeds go toward furnishing the appliances used for lifesaving purposes. The crew, being independent, receives no aid from the State or town. The Independent Life-Saving Crew is composed of permanent residents of Revere. The arrangements for the dance are in charge of Captain Clark of the crew.

HISGEN SEES PARADE WITH BROTHER KNIGHTS

PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE GUEST OF NEAL OF INDIANA, PROMINENT PYTHIAN.

Thomas L. Hisgen, Independence party candidate for President, is in Boston to-day mingling with his brother Knights of Pythias, renewing old acquaintances and making new ones. By invitation he sees the big parade from the Tremont reviewing stand in company with "Charlie" F. S. Neal, the big Knight from Indiana.

As the guest of Mr. Neal, Mr. Hisgen attended the Knights of Pythias reception last evening at the Hotel Somerset. Mr. Neal is one of the leading Independence party men of the West and was himself a candidate at the Chicago convention for Vice President. As Mr. Hisgen is a Son of the Hoosier State, Neal swung his forces in the support of the famous Oil Trust fighter and helped him carry off the honors.

In the hands of the genial Knight from Indiana, Mr. Hisgen left a fine time at the reception. He was easily the centre of attraction, but he bore himself with a modesty unsurpassed that made him universally liked. The new party candidate has many friends in both parties. And to explain that many times, for among the membership of the Supreme Lodge, to whom the reception was tendered by the Grand Lodge of the State, are many prominent men of political affairs.

Former Governor Here.

Most of the men and women, too, whom Mr. Hisgen met, wanted to know about the new movement in politics. These earnest inquirers for the most part were from the South and West. One of them was former Governor Benham of South Carolina, and Mr. Hisgen had a long and very pleasant chat.

One of the first men to whom Mr. Hisgen was introduced was Supreme Chancellor Charles A. Barnes. The distinguished head of the great order at once pressed upon Mr. Hisgen an invitation to view the parade to-day from the reviewing stand on Tremont street, near Boylston. Mr. Hisgen said that he would be happy to accept the invitation.

Although informal and designed for the purpose of bringing the various Pythians from different sections of the country in closer touch with each other, the gorgeous gowns worn by many of the women gave the reception a tinge of color that made the occasion as lively one of the most brilliant social functions of the season in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Barnes of Jacksonville, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Brown of Chelsea, Vt.; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pennman of Brockton and Mr. and Mrs. A. Stobbart of St. Paul were in the receiving line.

J. R. Kelly of Fall River, supreme representative, officiated as chairman of the reception committee.

It is probable that Mr. Hisgen will remain in Boston until Friday, when he has been invited to attend the annual clambake of the Commercial Travelers of Springfield.

Mr. Hisgen is receiving a particularly warm welcome from Indiana Knights in the city. He expects to visit his old home State before the campaign ends, and a big old-fashioned barbecue will be given at Peterburg, the Hisgen birthplace, in his honor.

The following letter, signed by some of the most prominent Knights of the town, has been received by Mr. Hisgen:

Greetings from Indiana.

GUS FRANK, Past Chancellor.
LESLIE LAMB, Past Chancellor.
H. S. SNYDER, Past Chancellor.
GEO. T. FRANK, Past Chancellor Cadet.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.
Mooresville, Ind., Aug. 1, 1908.

Hon. Thomas L. Hisgen, Springfield, Mass.

Dear Friend—Your nomination on the Independence ticket at the convention recently held in Chicago for President of the United States has created universal interest in this county. Quite many warm personal friends in this county in India are taking special pride and for the personal warm feelings of hundreds of Indianans and Hoosiers for you, we have decided to organize a Hisgen Club and get down to real hard work that will produce results.

There is a feeling here among your friends that it will be well to arrange a meeting at Peterburg, your old home, some time in August or September. Where it is the feeling here among your friends that it will be well to arrange a meeting at Peterburg, your old home, some time in August or September. Where it is the feeling here among your friends that it will be well to arrange a meeting at Peterburg, your old home, some time in August or September.

Yours truly,
GUS FRANK, E. B.
HARRELL, H. R. SNYDER, GEORGE T. FRANK, GUS FRANK, SR., W. A. OLIPHANT.

"Satan's Reception."

Josiah L. Young, of No. 351 West One Hundred and Forty-first street, New York City, has written a poem which is entitled "Satan's Reception of Mr. Taft." Mr. Young informed Mr. Hisgen that the poem contained 8,800 words, but it could be cut down. The author thinks that it may prove a valuable campaign document.

Dr. J. J. Urquhart of No. 308 Monroe avenue, Rochester, N. Y., in a letter said: "Do not consider me as a flatterer when I assure you that the ticket named was my choice for weeks past, not only from what I could learn of the character and fighting qualities of the men, but because of their geographical location."

James E. Beale of New Britain, Ct., editor of a newspaper, in a letter to Mr. Hisgen declaring his intention to attend the reception, said: "Independence party and Prohibition was a surprising gathering—a surprise to a great many and a delightful surprise to a delightful many."

Mr. Beale had been an ardent Republican up to the Independence Party Convention.

William S. Kendall of No. 354 Pine street, Manchester, N. H., manager of the Belknite Manufacturing Company, wrote to Mr. Hisgen:

"We will immediately proceed to organize Hisgen clubs in all the cities and towns."

WINS HEALY PRIZE.

WORCESTER, Aug. 5.—The Richard Healy prize scholarship, offering a complete course in Holy Cross College, and open to all poor boys of Worcester County, has been won by Gerrit J. Hurley, who attained a mark of 71 in the examination. J. F. Roland was second on the list. The announcement of the award was made today.

Beauty's new bath in real lemonade. Quickly the smart women of America are following the latest complexion fad of the Queen of Holland. See next Sunday's AMERICAN.

W. L. DOUGLAS
THE BEST $3.50 SHOES FOR MEN

W. L. DOUGLAS MAKES AND SELLS MORE MEN'S $3.50 SHOES THAN ANY OTHER MANUFACTURER IN THE WORLD.

The reason W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes are worn by more men in all walks of life than any other make is because I give the wearer the benefit of the most complete organization of skilled shoemakers in this country, who receive the highest wages paid in the shoe industry and whose workmanship cannot be excelled.

The selection of the leathers and other materials for each part of the shoe and every detail of the making is looked after by specially trained experts in every department.

If I could take you into my large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you how carefully W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes are made, you would then understand why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater value than any other make.

(Signed) W. L. Douglas

W. L. DOUGLAS $4.00 GILT EDGE SHOE
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W. L. DOUGLAS BOYS' SHOES $1.75 AND $2.00. JUST THE SAME AS MY MEN'S $3.50 SHOES. THE SAME LEATHERS, FOR $1.75 AND $2.00.

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SEVERE CASE OF PSORIASIS CURED

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USE OF CUTICURA MET WITH PERFECT SUCCESS

"I was cured of psoriasis through the use of the Cuticura Remedies. The terrible disease appeared on my arms and legs in small red spots under the skin, like blood blisters, the size of a pin-head; and it was constantly throwing off white scales, with a terrible itching and burning sensation. I was covered with it except my face and hands. I doctored with two of the best physicians I could find but they could not help me. One of them pronounced it one of the worst cases he ever saw. My mother gave me a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. I did not get much relief from the first bottle but she urged me to keep on taking it, also using Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. After a few weeks I saw some improvement, so I kept on using all three of the Cuticura Remedies until, about a year ago, I was entirely over it and have never had any more of the trouble. I am sure that the Cuticura Remedies cured me for they stopped everything after I began with Cuticura. We always keep Cuticura Soap and Ointment in the house. James L. Manning, Box 204, Dunellen, N. J., Nov. 23 and 29, 1907."

ECZEMA TWO YEARS
Speedily Cured by Cuticura

"For two years I suffered with eczema which broke out all over my body. It began with an itching and kept me awake at night. Cuticura Soap and Ointment was recommended but without results until I sent a sample cake of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The first week I began to feel better; in two months the itching had stopped and before I had used half the Cuticura Remedies I was completely cured. I would not be without Cuticura if it cost five dollars. James A. Arrow, Brookland, D. C., Oct. 6 and 21, 1907."

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PURE AND DEPENDABLE

Sir Knight of Pythias How're Your Feet?

Nothing will spoil your enjoyment and make you feel ill and irritable all over like sore, swollen, aching, tired feet. If you have corns they will start paining you and contribute to your misery.

To thoroughly enjoy your visit to Boston, to see everything on your own feet, to save carriage hire, to eliminate pain and discomfort, use a bottle of Cabot's Sulpho-Napthol, bathe your feet nightly in a basin of water, to which has been added a few drops of this healing antiseptic liquid cleanliness, or put a dash of it in your bath.

You can't repair for your trouble. The cost of Sulpho-Napthol is not worth considering when you see how it does cure and prevents corns, reduces inflammation and quickly relieves all aches and pains. Best of all, there is an undeniable sense of satisfaction that follows the use of this cleansing, germ-killing, scientific preparation.

You can't take home a better souvenir of Boston than a bottle of this same Sulpho-Napthol.

Sold only in yellow packages by druggists and grocers for 10c, 25c, 50c and $1.00. Never sold under any other name. Beware of imitations. Sulpho-Napthol Company, 9 Haymarket Sq., Manufacturers. Sawyer Crystal Blue Company, Belling Agents, Boston, Mass.

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FOUR OUT FOR SUPREME VICE CHANCELLOR

Pythian Delegates Carry On Friendly But Spirited Campaign for Candidates.

CONTEST ON TO-MORROW

All interest among the members of the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, is today centered in the election of Supreme Vice-Chancellor to-morrow and some spirited campaigning was carried on during and after the parade by the various candidates.

There are now four in the field for the office. They are Dr. D. S. Woodworth of Fitchburg, G. M. Hanson, of Bangor, Me., D. L. Salinger of Carroll, Iowa, and R. H. Jackson of Pittsburg, Penn.

The contest promises to be close, but many are of the opinion that the fight will narrow down to Woodworth and Hanson.

It is believed in some quarters that he could win were it not for the fact that the convention is being held in Massachusetts and for this reason their feeling that local sentiment, which always crops out at general conventions, may turn the tide in favor of the Fitchburg man.

The supporters of Salinger and Jackson are by no means weak in their hopes and are working hard to elect their candidates.

The contest all the way through is a friendly one and there is not the slightest hint of hard feeling.

To-night in Mechanics Hall the members of the Supreme Lodge give a reception to the membership at large.

COMMONWEALTHS WILL WORK DEGREE WITH NEW EFFECTS

Commonwealth Lodge, No. 10, K. of P., one of the leading lodges in Boston, holds open house all week with the exception of Saturday at Cornithian Hall, No. 1,631 Washington street, from 10 a. m. to 11 p. m.

Monday and Tuesday there were over 500 visiting brothers present from Maine, New Hampshire, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland and New Brunswick. Prominent among them were P. G. C. Edward Dunn and G. R. and S. H. J. Gasson of Washington.

To-day at 8 p. m. the lodge will exemplify the third rank with new effects. The committee in charge are P. C. I. P. Caro, chairman; P. C. Samuel Daniels, P. C. M. E. Yeretsky, P. C. Samuel Goldberg, C. C. Solomon Baack, P. C. Morris Victor, P. C. Daniel Cotter, P. V. C. Joseph Schmidt, P. C. Myer Papp, J. R. Baack, H. Fiber, Myer Daniels, Harry Daniels, M. of E. Morris Lusky, A. S. Cohen and A. Rose.

PYTHIAN SISTERS SAY WOMAN SUFFRAGE WILL PURIFY POLLS

"The franchise to women in Colorado has surely purified the polls. There is no longer any carousing or roughness at election times and our politics have become cleaner since women first voted in Colorado."

Supreme Protector, Mrs. Ida M. Johnson, one of the Pythian sisters at the Hotel Brunswick, made the above statement today.

"Colorado as a whole has never regretted the coming of woman's suffrage," continues Mrs. Johnson, "We think, of course, we are not quite up to the men in their standard of scheming to accomplish political ends. Otherwise we feel that we are able to cope with our brothers and husbands in every way. We are perfectly willing anyway, to leave the political scheming part to the men. Husband and wife often vote differently in Colorado, but I never knew of a case where there was any domestic unhappiness or family trouble caused by difference in political opinion between the two."

Mrs. F. A. M. Stewart, supreme representative of the Pythian Sisters from Cheyenne, Wyoming, adds:

"We all think in my State that women's suffrage is just what it should be. The polls have been purified by it and I never know of a women being used in any way but what was perfectly right and proper while she was voting."

T. P. CURTIS LOSES MOTOR LICENSE

By unanimous vote of the State Highway Commissioners the license of Thomas P. Curtis of Nahant and Boston was revoked on complaint of the Massachusetts Safe Bonds Association charging that Thomas P. Curtis of Nahant (license 1,004) operated a motor vehicle improperly and recklessly.

SUES B. & M. ROAD FOR $60,000 FIRE

Claiming that the fire of April 23 last, in which his mill buildings in Billerica were destroyed, was caused by a spark from a locomotive, Ellery E. Cole has filed at East Cambridge to-day the papers in a suit for $60,000 against the Boston & Maine Railroad.

BRONSON HOWARD FUNERAL TO-MORROW

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Funeral services for Bronson Howard, playwright and author, who died from heart disease yesterday at Avon-by-the-Sea, N. J., will be held to-morrow at Dr. Whitney Watkman's cottage in that town. Later the body will be taken to Detroit for interment.

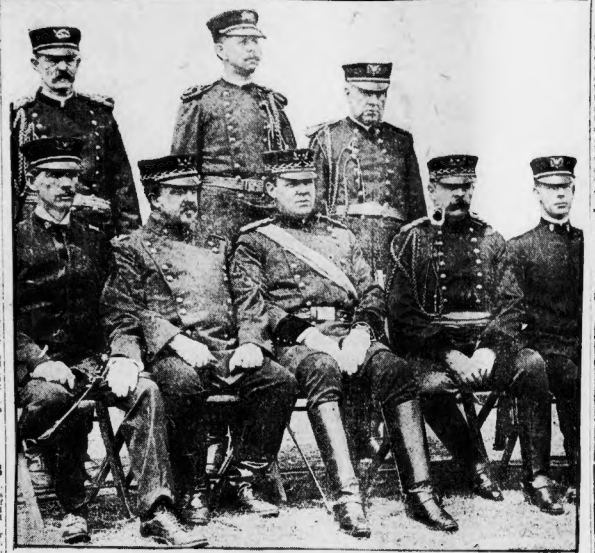
Cures Eczema Quickly

New Drug, Poslam, Now Obtainable in Small Quantities.

Since its discovery one year ago the new drug, poslam, has successfully cured thousands of chronic cases of eczema and other distressing skin affections. Heretofore poslam has been dispensed solely for the benefit of eczema patients in large jars sufficient for a month's treatment. This was found to be an inconvenience to many, thousands who use it for minor skin troubles, such as pimples, blackheads, herpes, acne, scaly scalp, complexion blemishes, itching feet, piles, etc., which require but a small quantity to cure. To overcome this, and in response to urgent appeals, the dispensers of poslam have been obliged to adopt, in addition to the regular two-dollar package, a special fifty-cent size, which in future may be found on sale at Houghton & Dutton's, Riker-Jaynes and other leading drug stores in Boston, or may be ordered direct from the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West 25th Street, New York City. In all eczema cases poslam stops itching with first application, and proceeds to heal immediately, chronic cases being cured in two weeks. In less serious skin troubles, results are seen after an overnight application.

Samples for experimental purposes may still be had, free of charge, by writing to the laboratories for them.

Major-General Stobbart and His Staff of Pythian Officers



From left to right this photograph shows (standing) Colonel E. J. Schuyters, Colonel N. J. Roberts and Colonel James Moulson; (seated) Colonel Steels, Brigadier-General C. B. Hoyte, Major-General Arthur J. Stobbart, commander-in-chief, Uniform Rank, K. of P.; Adjutant-General Lorenze and Colonel F. A. Godsoe.

10,000 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AT WONDERLAND

Massachusetts Members Hold Annual Outing Under Auspices of Boston Chapter.

This is Knights of Columbus day at Wonderland Park, when 10,000 men, members from Massachusetts, under the auspices of Boston Chapter congregate in annual outing and reunion. Unusual features are presented by the Wonderland management.

The Pythians flocked to Wonderland yesterday on their official outing, found everything prepared for their coming and had the time of their lives with the park filled, special music by three bands, banners, bunting, fleur and electrical insignia of welcome everywhere, big park shows doing honor, and the ball room for their exclusive use in the evening. Fully 8,000 members of the SUNDAY AMERICAN Outing Club were also present with tickets clipped from last Sunday's paper.

The Sunday American Outing Club members are invited to watch the daily paper this week for announcements of the good things in store in way of free tickets with next SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN. There will be six free tickets in all, including the best amusements in the park and worth fifty cts.

One of the features of the Pythian parade yesterday was the Dawnee Hill Stage Coach filled with Indians and cowboys and drawn by four horses.

Did you get out to Lexington Park, the famous woodland retreat, with the Sunday American Outing Club Monday or Tuesday? If not, get next SUNDAY'S AMERICAN and make sure of the free ticket to the park.

"A Family Affair" is being discussed at Canobie Lake Park. It is a play running in the big park theatre, seating 2,500 persons. Admission is ten cents, but the Sunday American Outing Club members next week will enjoy the park free of charge. Tickets will be published in SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN admitting to the House of Mirth, Laughing Gallery and merry-go-round, value twenty cents.

To-morrow is held the second trip of the Sunday American Outing Club to Vanity Fair, near Providence. The members will have tickets to the park and admission to of the best inside attractions, clipped from last Sunday's paper. Saturday will be Children's Day, and the juvenile visitors will receive souvenirs from the management.

Next Sunday the BOSTON AMERICAN will publish a new set of free tickets for use on Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

OFFICERS BEGIN WALKING TESTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 5.—Seven army officers stationed at the Presidio and Benicia, nearly all of them past fifty years of age, and several nearing the three-score mark, with more than a quarter of a century's service to their country, to-day competed the first day's walk of the fifty miles walking test ordered by President Roosevelt. They covered nineteen miles in six and one-half hours without the loss of a man.

PYTHIAN DYING IN LYNN HOSPITAL

J. S. Farrar from Springfield, one of the visiting Knights of Pythias, is reported dying at the Lynn Hospital of spinal meningitis.

Farrar was taken ill while at Revere, in company with some other members of the [illegible] and was removed to the hospital. He saw at once that Farrar's condition was serious, and ordered his removal to the Lynn Hospital. At the hospital the man's condition grew steadily worse to-day. Dr. Brown diagnosed the case as spinal meningitis.

HIBBARD SUMMONS SCHOOLHOUSE BOARD

WILL TAKE UP THE FINANCE COMMISSION'S CHARGES OF EXTRAVAGANCE WITH THEM.

Mayor Hibbard to-day ordered the Board of Schoolhouse Commissioners to appear before him at 10 a. m. to-morrow to discuss with him the report of the Boston Finance Commission, charging graft and extravagance in the affairs of the schoolhouse department.

The Mayor also ordered the city law department to-day to investigate the overcharges which the Finance Commission alleges were made for schoolhouse repair work and for land purchases.

"If there has been any criminal act, the guilty man shall be prosecuted," the Mayor told a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "If there have been overcharges, the city will see to recover. I shall not take any decisive action, however, until I have talked with the Schoolhouse Commissioners and have conducted a thorough investigation."

Charles Logue, who was a member of the schoolhouse body when the overcharges are alleged to have been made, left the city early to-day to go to Danvers, where his building company has a contract. The present commissioners refused to discuss the Finance Commission's report until after they have conferred with Mayor Hibbard.

A city official who did not wish his name used to-day told the BOSTON AMERICAN that the Finance Commission is in error when it says that the city of Boston was offered a plot of land in Savin Hill district for $13,000 and later paid $17,500 for it, without the lower offer having been withdrawn. "The $13,000 offer was not made by any one empowered to make such an offer. The owner did not make this offer. If the city had tried to purchase the tract of land for $13,000 they could not have got it. I know this, because I acted for the city later on when the transfer was made for $17,500."

HUNT SAFE-BLOWERS.

WORCESTER, Aug. 5.—The police are searching to-day for safe-crackers who operated last night in the office of F. W. Bowker & Co. They got a small amount of cash and a bundle of checks. The gang entered a number of other offices in the Bowker building, but secured nothing.

AUTO IN CRASH; OWNER HELD

NORTH ATTLEBORO, Aug. 5.—Following a peculiar automobile accident in which a horse was killed and three men narrowly escaped being seriously hurt, Clovis Bowen of Pine street, Pawtucket, is arraigned in court to-day charged with not having the lamps on his automobile properly lighted. Bowen's auto struck an express wagon and a buggy which were abreast on the road at Follett's corner, killing one of the horses and throwing J. J. Casey, James Paley and Allen Lang, the occupants, into the road. In the automobile with Bowen were his wife and two other women, who refused to give their names. It is claimed that but one lamp in the auto was lighted.

FAIR DIVORCEE QUIETLY WEDS

WORCESTER, Aug. 5.—News of the wedding of Annie M. MacInnes, a young divorcee of this city, to Walter Rose of Beverly, N. J., several days ago, has just been made public through the return of the marriage license by Rev. William H. Dockham.

When her former husband, Perley E. Eames, brought a $10,000 suit for alleged alienation of her affections against Andrew H. Stanhope, a real estate operator of this city, it created quite a sensation, for it was quickly followed by the filing of a petition for absolute divorce on the part of Mrs. Eames.

Eames did not contest the petition, as was expected, and his wife got a decree nisi and the right to resume her maiden name of MacInnes.

BRISTOW WINS KANSAS FIGHT

TOPEKA, Kan., Aug. 5.—Meagre returns from the Kansas primaries indicate that W. R. Stubbs has been nominated for Governor by a majority of close to 10,000 over Cyrus Leland and M. J. L. Bristow has defeated United States Senator Long for renomination by a larger majority.

J. D. Botkin seems to be ahead as the Democratic candidate for Governor against W. H. Ryan and Russell Pearson.

Bristow has been fighting railroad abuses for years. As an editor he has hammered away persistently at the phrase of a certain railroad attorney, who said in regard to the excessive rates charged in Kansas, "The people are prosperous and can stand it."

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Important Notice

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Chairs and Rockers, in imitation mahogany finish, with green leather movable cushions. A $4.00 chair. Marked for this sale at only

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Hammock Chairs, with strong canvas seat and back of one piece over firm frame. Worth $1.48 and marked for this sale at only

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Ruffled Muslin Curtains, with hemstitch and tucks, very fine muslin. Value 65c a pair. Special **49c**

Opaque Window Shades, in all the popular colors, 36 inches wide, 6 feet long, mounted on a good roller, all complete, at **23c**

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Scotch Lace Curtains, in all the newest and latest designs, lock stitch edge, and a heavy quality of net. Value $1.50 a pair, for..... **89c**

Utility Boxes, covered with Japanese matting. Value $3.50. Special **2.49**

Golden oak and mission finish Utility Boxes. Value $3.50. Special **2.49**

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Axminster Rugs, in popular and attractive patterns, suitable for either chamber or door rugs.

Size.	Value.	Price.
22x54	$1.50	98¢
27x54	$2.50	1.58

Tapestry Brussels Rugs, in Oriental and floral designs; very desirable for low-priced rugs.

Size.	Value.	Price.
27x36	$1.00	63¢
27x54	$1.50	98¢

Rafferis Chairs, in oak and imitation mahogany finish, with reversible cushions in red or green velours, brass rods, regular $6.50 chair. For this sale,

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Three-Piece Parlor Suits, mahogany finished, detached cushions, in red or green. $40.00 value **29.98**

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Complete Bed Outfits for.. 8.98

Brass trimmed, white enamel bed, like cut, bronzed frame. National wire spring and cotton top mattresses in good tick, all sizes, one or two parts. This outfit's regular value is $10.55. Special at $8.98.

$9.00 Brass Trimmed Bed for 6.48

Brass trimmed beds, like cut, 11-16 inch continuous post, with three brass spindles on head and foot, each mounted with large brass husk. Full size only, $6.48.

$3.50 National Springs—All steel tube frame spring, National fabric, full helical ends, all sizes. Marked as a special for this sale at only..... **2.49**

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High grade fancy English plaid worsteds in light and dark colorings. Cut in the new "Derby" single breasted model. The regular price of $10 is low for these suits, which you buy here for **$5.75.**

...LL THE MAN TO SUCCEED SEN. ALLISON

Death of Aged Iowa Statesman Comes as Shock to His Friends.

FEW KNEW OF ILLNESS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The rather sudden death of Senator William Boyd Allison at his home in Iowa will bring about some very important changes in the leadership and in the big chairmanships that have to do with legislation in the upper branch of Congress, and Senator Hale of Maine will succeed his late colleague as leader.

To Senator Allison more especially than to any other man who ever occupied a seat in that body belongs the title of "Father of the Senate." He was not only one of the oldest men in that body, but he held the record beyond all others for length of service there.

More important still, his service in the Senate was such that his title to position depended not at all upon his advanced age or extended service. Senator Allison was, at the time of his death, and had been for a third of a century, a leader in fact as well as in name.

Since the reorganization, when Democrats lost control, Mr. Allison had been chairman of appropriations and a prominent leader on the floor.

By reason of seniority of committee service, Senator Hale will be chairman of appropriations in the next session of Congress. It's easily the chief chairmanship in the Senate.

His occupation of that post will enhance Mr. Hale's authority and prestige as a leader. He and Senator Aldrich will be the two most influential men in legislation at the north end of the capitol.

Senator Allison's death also elevates Senator Hale to the position of Nestor—the man of the ninety-two Senators who has had the longest continuous service. Senator Frye of Maine comes second, having been in the Senate only a few days less than his colleague. Senator Aldrich comes third.

After next March Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire will be fifth and Senator Lodge of Massachusetts sixth in continuous service.

Senator Allison was seventy-nine years old last March and had been a Senator since 1873.

Two weeks ago the senator left his home in the city to escape the heat. He went to the home of Mrs. Fannie Stout, a friend of the family, living a few miles from town.

For a few days his condition seemed to improve, but he later began to grow worse. Saturday morning the senator was brought back home.

Soon afterward he relapsed into a condition of semi-consciousness. Except for brief periods of partial recovery he remained in this condition until death came.

Only the more intimate friends of the family were aware of his critical condition. No arrangements for the funeral have yet been made.

LOWELL TAX RATE $20.40

LOWELL, Aug. 5.—The tax rate for the ensuing year in this city was announced to-day at $20.40. This is the highest rate in the history of the city with the exception of the year 1903. The increase of $1 over last year's rate, according to the Board of Assessors, is due to the increase of the State tax and an increase of $61,000 in the city appropriations.

GIRL TORN BY DOG'S ATTACK

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Savagely attacked by a ferocious brindle bulldog while at play near her home to-day, Sarah A. Weil, ten, of No. 338 Graham avenue, Williamsburg, is at the Eastern District Hospital and is not expected to live.

The right cheek of the little girl was torn open from the mouth to the ear, and her arms and the upper part of the body covered with wounds inflicted by the dog. The animal escaped.

DEATH NOTICES.

BERRY—In Melvin Village, N. H., Aug. 3, Leander Berry, in his 76 year. 12 and 13 Lynn papers please copy.

CONNELLY—In this city, Aug. 4, Leo, beloved son of Michael and Catherine Connelly, 4 yrs. 9 mos.

Funeral from 146 Tyler st., Thursday, Aug. 6, at 8:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

DALEY—In Medford, Aug. 3, Anna M., beloved wife of John Daley, 43 yrs.

Funeral from late residence, 539 Main st., Wednesday, Aug. 5, at 8:30 a. m. Services at the house. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

DEMPSEY—In Abington, Mass., Aug. 4, Patrick Dempsey, formerly of Jamaica Plain.

Funeral from residence of his brother, Dennis Dempsey, 417 Plymouth st., Abington, at 8:45 a. m., thence to St. Bridget's Church at 9. Members of Division 31, A. O. H.

KIMBALL—In Dorchester, Aug. 4, Polly Tenney Kimball, aged 78.

Services from her late residence, 37 Bellevue street, Dorchester, on Thursday, at 2 o'clock. Friends please to be present. Interment at Manchester, Essex county, N. H., papers please copy.

KNOWLTON—In Malden, Aug. 3, Charles Austin Knowlton, 62 yrs. 9 mos. 3 days.

Funeral services from residence, 4 Crescent st., Malden, Thursday, Aug. 6, at 2 o'clock p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

LAWRENCE—At Boston City Hospital, Aug. 3, Mary Gertrude, wife of Peter Lawrence, 31 years.

Funeral services at hospital chapel, Thursday, Aug. 6, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

MAHILE—In this city, Aug. 2, Henry F., beloved husband of Ellen (Griffin) McArdle, 50 yrs.

Funeral from his late residence, 9 Church st., Wednesday morning, at 8:30, thence to St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock, where a solemn high mass of requiem will be said for the repose of his soul at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

MURPHY—In Needham, Daniel H. Murphy.

Funeral from his late residence, Brookside road, Thursday, Aug. 6, at 8 o'clock. High mass at St. Mary's Church, Newton Upper Falls, at 9 o'clock. Interment at Needham.

O'CONNELL—In Malden, Aug. 3, Mary Louise, beloved daughter of Margaret and the late Joseph O'Connell.

Funeral from family residence, 311 Pearl st., Thursday morning, 8:30; thence at 9 o'clock to Immaculate Conception Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

O'HALLORAN—In Dorchester, Aug. 3, at his residence, East Cottage, st., Hugh O'Halloran, husband of Flora A. O'Halloran (nee Rice of Northampton).

Funeral Thursday, Aug. 6, at 8:30 a. m. from late residence. High mass at St. Peter and Paul's Church, Westland Park st., Roxbury, at 9 o'clock. Calvary Cemetery.

SULLIVAN—In Charlestown, Aug. 2, Daniel Sullivan, 72 yrs.

Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Sheehan, 9 Cross st., Wednesday, Aug. 5, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Mary's Church, Warren st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

SUTCLIFFE—At his late residence, 320 Shawmut st., Walter F. Sutcliffe, 54 yrs.

Funeral from North Station Thursday morning, 9:10 train. Interment at Hinsdale.

WELCH—In South Boston, Aug. 2, Annie F., beloved daughter of Barbara and the late Thomas Welch.

Funeral from her late residence, 30 A st., Thursday, Aug. 6, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Peter and Paul's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA PRESENTING MEDAL TO HAYES.

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Photograph taken at the British Stadium showing American Marathon winner and snapshot of Hayes's athusiastic companions bearing him about the field above their shoulders.

CLINTON IN TERROR FROM ARMED RIOTERS

TOWN HAS A NIGHT OF PERIL UNDER MOB MENACE.

CLINTON, Aug. 5.—After a night's reign of terror Clinton to-day faces a resumption of the riot of lawlessness engendered by the J. W. Bishop Contracting Company, in whose battles with the police two policemen and five of the strikers at least were wounded.

All night long the police officials stood on guard, armed to the teeth, while few residents slept, fearing renewed conflicts between the authorities and the rioters.

Rumors were afloat that the strikers, thirsting for revenge upon the townspeople who assailed the police in their charging against them in the battles, were marching on Clinton to set the mills on fire.

To add to the terror felt by the townspeople a fierce electric storm, the worst of the season, hovered over the town for hours. The Daggett Block, the largest in town; the houses of Frank McLoughlin in Woodlawn street and the barn of Fife & Plummer in Water street were struck by lightning.

In the District Court to-day before Judge E. A. Evans, eight of the nine Italian strikers arrested yesterday were arraigned on charges of disturbing the peace. They were all represented by Attorneys W. R. Scharton and G. M. Schanicy of Boston, who pleaded not guilty for their clients. At the hopes of the defendants' lawyers, the hearings were continued by Judge Evans until to-morrow. The men were held in $200 bail each for that time.

Before the men were formally arraigned to-day a great crowd clamored for admission to the court. Fully 200 persons, many of them friends of the prisoners and some of the women, surrounded the court house during the short time the Italians were before the Judge.

Michael Cornocelli, the ninth prisoner taken yesterday, because of the wound in his knee, was unable to leave his cell in Police headquarters.

It is said that three of the strikers wounded yesterday in the battles with the police were taken by their friends to Hudson, where they received medical attention.

'HARRIMAN CAN'T SEE A JOKE,' SAYS INGALLS

"BIG FOUR" MAGNATE LAUGHS AT UNION PACIFIC MAN'S "BENEFICENT SPIRIT."

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Aug. 5.—Melville E. Ingalls, the Cincinnati railroad magnate, read with interest to-day the statements made at Chicago by E. H. Harriman that he was not getting control of railroads to make money, but to help the general situation, and that as he grows older he is beginning to think more of his fellowmen. Commenting on the latter statement, Mr. Ingalls said:

"I don't see much in that. It looks to me as though Harriman was trying to be funny to avoid being interviewed.

"He is not a funny man. He is a shrewd, rasping little man who cannot see a joke and who tells a good story badly.

"I think he was simply attempting humor to avoid saying anything important."

Regarding Mr. Harriman's other statement that "I do not do these things to make money but merely to step out the general situation," Mr. Ingalls said:

"He's Got Something to Sell."

"Of course, we all know that Mr. Harriman did not buy the Erie, for instance, or the Wheeling, with the idea of making a profit directly. He has a great big scheme in the Union Pacific and a great quantity of bonds to sell. He can't afford to have American securities discredited and depreciated; that explains and justifies his statement that he wants to see this country the greatest on earth and intends to help to make it such.

"I don't know anything about his deal for the Gould roads. Their control ought to be a big help to him, if it didn't cost him anything. He has great plans for his Union Pacific, but he's a firm old Democrat in the North," referring to James J. Hill.

He's a Strange Man.

"By the way," Mr. Ingalls continued, "Mr. Meredith (president of the Virginia Bar Association, in a speech said that five railroads control the business of the country.

I wonder which he meant."

Mr. Ingalls was asked to give his own opinion. "Well," he said, "these are the New York Central, the Pennsylvania, the Southern and the Harriman and Gould cargo, Milwaukee & St. Paul, which is a Rockefeller road. I would have added the Gould roads a few days ago, but they seem to be in Harriman's hands now."

Mr. Ingalls's attention was called to a newspaper article putting the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul in the Harriman column.

"I think that is wrong," he said. "I am quite sure the Rockefellers own it."

While discussing Mr. Harriman's statement that he would do everything to help the country's prosperity, Mr. Ingalls said:

"I was in the Equitable investigation and I did not find that Harriman in particular did anything bad. Of course there were a lot of them scheming to get hold of that immense pile of money. But I did not see that Harriman himself did anything that would single him out."

After a long, contemplative pause Mr. Ingalls said:

"He is a strange man."

Mr. Meredith later said that Mr. Ingalls had named the five roads he had in mind, "I said or intended to say," he added, "that these roads control three-fourths of the business of the country."

GIRLS BRAVE DEATH TO SAVE LITTLE CHILD

LEE, Aug. 5.—Hannah Mooney and Josephine Boyne, two thirteen-year-old girls, are the town heroines to-day. The two girls, at the risk of their own lives, rescued eight-year-old Ethel Dowd from drowning in the Housatonic river.

The three had been enjoying a sail, but when opposite Shore Island the Dowd girl started to rock the boat. She lost her balance and fell overboard. The river current had carried her some distance away, and she had disappeared from view when Miss Boyne dived for her and soon came to the surface with the girl in her arms.

Miss Mooney then lent her assistance, and together they swam with the unconscious form fully thirty yards, when all three were rescued by two men in a boat.

MISS ELKINS A CATHOLIC

LONDON, Aug. 5.—A dispatch from Rome states that Cardinal Gibbons confirms the statement that Miss Katherine Elkins will formally embrace the Roman Catholic faith before she marries the Duke of the Abruzzi.

The correspondent says that the Pope questioned Cardinal Gibbons closely regarding Miss Elkins and her relatives. The Pope expressed pleasure that Miss Elkins was about to become a Catholic and an Italian Princess.

NOTIFY KERN AUGUST 25.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 5.—John W. Kern will be officially notified of his nomination by the Democratic party for Vice-President of the United States on Tuesday, Aug. 25, at the State fair grounds. The date was announced to-day by Mr. Kern and Chairman T. S. Jackson of the Democratic State Committee. Mr. Bryan will speak here then.

GOULD HURRIES TO CONFERENCE WITH HIS AIDES

Rumored Harriman Is to Fill Vacancy in Wabash Road.

CONTROLS WHEELING NOW

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—George J. Gould, who was believed by Wall Street to be enjoying himself in his lodge in the Catskills, dashed back to his office in this city and held a long, and apparently important, conference with officials prominent in connection with his railroad system. He returned to the mountains last evening.

The cause of Mr. Gould's flying visit could not be ascertained. Mr. Gould said he was here "just for pleasure," but Wall Street did not seem to credit that. It was a coincidence that simultaneously with his arrival a rumor, alleged to have been started in Pittsburg, was circulated that President Delano of the Wabash railroad, was about to resign and that Mr. Harriman would dictate his successor. Financial circles immediately interpreted that to mean that Mr. Harriman henceforth would direct the policy of the entire vast system of Gould lines.

Mr. Gould declined to say a word for publication in respect to the situation. When asked whether he desired to comment on the statement by Mr. Harriman that the syndicate which had purchased the $8,000,000 of Wheeling & Lake Erie notes had acted altruistically and not for profit and "to save a bad situation," Mr. Gould said:

"Not a word! Not a word! I am just down here for pleasure, and I don't want to talk business. I have no time."

"Harriman" Dispels Gould's Smile.

At the mention of Mr. Harriman's name the smile that had enwreathed Mr. Gould's genial features vanished and an expression resembling that of a little boy ordered to swallow a dose of castor oil replaced it.

Although Mr. Gould would not discuss Mr. Harriman's claims to being a philanthropist, banking and railroad circles were not quite so reticent. The men who rule their enormous railroad properties just scoff at the philanthropy "stuff." From them it was learned that Mr. Harriman's action as they saw it meant immense profit to that far-seeing and enterprising railroad financier.

"It can be set down as a fact," they declared, "that Harriman now has control absolutely of the $8,000,000 of bonds which he purchased, the Wheeling & Lake Erie.

Can't See His Altruism.

"That control he obtains in this way. The $8,000,000 is only part of that road which his syndicate purchased are secured by $12,000,000 of the road's four per cent. bonds. Of the $12,000,000 of these bonds have been issued it can easily be seen that under the reorganization scheme, now in force for the distressed road, the $12,000,000 of bonds would control.

"In addition to this it is understood that the Gould-Harriman arrangement provides that Mr. Harriman shall receive a small one-half interest in the Pittsburg & Wabash Terminal.

BOY FINDS $50,000 CHECK; REWARD $2

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—William Becker, a postoffice wagon driver, found a $50,000 certified check in the driveway beneath the Federal building, and as a reward for returning it to its owner received $2.

BOY SLASHES FATHER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—In a desperate attempt, it is alleged, to kill his father, Arthur F. Maier, fifteen years old, of No. 538 West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, used an old army sword in his home early to-day with such effect that the boy's parent fell unconscious from his wounds.

SUE BILLBOARD MEN.

Two actions for $5,000 damages are brought to-day against the Spencer-Nugent Company of Boston in the clerk of courts' office, East Cambridge. The plaintiffs, Charles Van Wart and Marshall W. Tolman of Everett, allege that while walking past the company's billboard in Broadway, Everett, on April 20, the board collapsed and fell on them, badly injuring both.

The evolution of the overskirt. By Mrs. Cholly Knickerbocker. First the narrow sash on the sheath skirt. The sash widens, but is still wound around the figure. The sash becomes more full, is also used in festoons and—then the overskirt appears. See next Sunday's AMERICAN.

SIX SEAMEN HURT IN GALE

LOUISBURG, N. S., Aug. 5.—The Gloucester fishing schooner Maxime Elliott, Captain Thomas Benham, put in here to-day with one man seriously injured and five others badly hurt.

The schooner, which is one of the Grand Banks fleet, was hauling her cable during a gale on the banks Sunday morning when a huge sea broke clear over her, carrying the men who were at the capstan the entire length of the deck. Colin Townsend of Lockport, N. S., was the most seriously hurt. He is at Louisburg Hospital where his condition is critical.

BRINGS SUIT FOR CONTRACT

John J. Gray of Lowell has sued William Manning of Chelmsford for $100,000, in an action of contract, as the result of a competing land transaction in the former city where the defendant owned about forty acres of land adjoining St. Patrick's Cemetery. Gray claims that Manning refused to sell him the land for $13,375.50 if the city authorized its use for burial purposes. The city gave the authority, he says, and Manning agreed to take a mortgage on the property for the amount of the purchase price. Gray says that he borrowed $11,000 more from Manning to lay out the land as a cemetery, and he thinks the property now worth $125,000. But Manning, Gray says, notified him that he was going to foreclose and transferred the mortgage to his son-in-law, a man named Bartlett.

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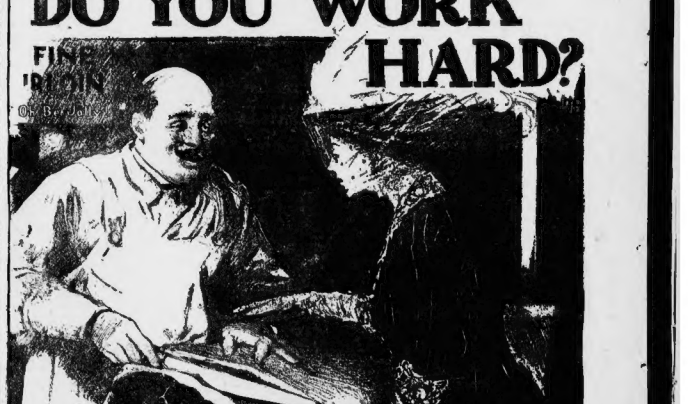

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POLICE FIND ROBBERS' LOOT WORTH $5,000

Recover Trunk Full of Valuables Stolen by South Boston Gang of Burglars.

Fully $5,000 worth of stolen watches, diamonds and other gems, the loot of an organized band of robbers, was unearthed to-day, when a trunk was found in a cellar in the house No. 2 Bay State place, South Boston, by Lieutenant Daniel A. Eagan and six patrolmen disguised as laborers.

The loot was stolen by a desperate gang of housebreakers, pickpockets and sneak thieves.

The raid on the premises came as the result of the arrest yesterday of Niccolo Mentola, eighteen, for the alleged larceny of a $150 watch and chain from Andrew Palmer of No. 8 J street, at the L street bathhouse last week. The authorities believe that a great part of the loot found to-day was taken from the bathing lockers, as many losses have been reported.

Buried in Cellar.

Plainer run down and captured Mentola last night, feeling sure that it was he who robbed his locker of the watch last week as he had been seen him prowling about the bath house. The young prisoner gave a fictitious name and address, but the police on searching his clothing found a piece of paper on which the "No. 2 Bay State place" was written.

Policemen went to the house and thoroughly searched all the rooms, but found nothing to incriminate Mentola. To-day, while the youth was being arraigned in court, Lieutenant Eagan and six policemen, garbed as Italian laborers, and carrying picks and shovels, again entered the boarding house, and went to the cellar.

They dug all over the place, and were about to give up, when in one corner a pick struck something hard. Then they soon uncovered a big, iron trunk, which took the strength of all seven to lift. On being opened it disclosed the loot.

The loot is now at Station 12, awaiting claims by the owners. Pawn brokers all over the city have been notified, and are assisting the police.

400 Watches Pawned.

They declare that Mentola has previously pawned in all about 400 watches with different dealers.

In another bag, containing a lot of luggage, was a personal traveling bag, in which were found a ticket for Italy on the steamer Martha Washington, to be used to-morrow, a new suit, pair of shoes, a watch worth $200, a lady's watch, a wedding ring and a diamond ring. The police say Mentola was going to flee the country and that he was to be married soon.

When charged with larceny to-day in the South Boston Court his case was continued till he will report on Aug. 12, and he was held in $500 bail.

The authorities are now seeking the members of the band, of which they think Mentola is a member.

CHAUFFEUR LOSES LICENSE

Chairman Parker of the Highway Commission to-day, after declaring that the flagrant use of automobiles by chauffeurs who operate the cars of the owners without their knowledge has been the cause of many of the recent accidents in this State, decided to revoke the licenses of any who are found guilty of this offense in the future.

The license of Richard Harris Dickinson, chauffeur, of Walnut avenue, Newtonville, was revoked by the commission when it appeared that he had operated a car owned by Alvin T. Fuller and hired by Colonel Grannon N. Wilder, and in a trip to Montserrat had wrecked it.

SAVES BABY FROM BIG AUTO

BRANT ROCK, Aug. 5.—Were it not for the heroism of 9-year-old Madeline Sharkey, her two-year-old sister Evelyn would have been killed to-day by a rapidly speeding automobile on Main street.

The baby girl had crawled out into the middle of the road and was sitting there unmindful of the fast coming car. Madeline saw her peril as she sat on the veranda of her home and dashed into the street, pulling her little sister to the side of the road just as the auto whizzed by.

Madeline and Evelyn are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Sharkey of Harvard square, Cambridge. The family is living here for the Summer.

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THE GREAT MORGAN ROBBERY

A Thrilling New York Story of Mystery, Romantic Love and Daring Deed

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Synopsis.

JAMES GARDEN, a wealthy financier, is found shot dead in the dining room of his handsome colonial mansion, near Roslyn, L. I. The mystery of his death is deepened by the fact that his beautiful daughter, Ruth, and his secretary, Nora Harding, have disappeared. They are believed to have been kidnaped. A week prior to the murder Garden, leaving his office, received a letter from Norman Taylor, his junior partner, that Taylor had just returned from South America, and to detain him till he returned.

Taylor, in reality, had just spent five years in Sing Sing, having been convicted by false testimony of the Great Morgan Robbery. He had brought his friend, Wilfred Drew, home to the Morgan mansion, in Flushing, at the close of the robbery, and had there secreted a jewelry box found in a secret cabinet in a room. Martin and Sarah Gee were in the house at the time. Drew and Taylor planned with whom to be held just after the robbery.

While his release from Sing Sing Taylor had gone first to his old friends, the Germans, and learned that they belong in his innocence. The German advised Taylor to go see his uncle, John Tarboe, who had furnished funds for his defense.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued

"THAT'S the best first move," assented Mayhew. "I thought at the time of your trial that your uncle might have done a little better for you, but perhaps he did the best he could."

"Martin, do you suspect John Tarboe?" demanded Norman suddenly.

"You must suspect everybody," said the old man.

"I cannot see why he would do it," said Norman, slowly, "but many times as I lay awake in prison, I have wondered if he found me in the way."

"Go see him to-morrow," said Martin. "If he finds you in the way now you'll know better where you stand."

The next morning Norman went to the offices where his uncle formerly had practiced. To his surprise he saw the names "Brown & Lee." on the doors, instead of "John Tarboe." He entered the office as ever, and inquire for his uncle.

He opened the door and a clerk, after a single glance into his face, motioned to him to be seated and went into a private office. In a moment he reappeared and said:

"Mr. Brown wishes to see you."

Bewildered by this peculiar proceeding, Norman entered the private office. A middle-aged man of professional appearance sat at a roll-top desk, going over some papers. He was smoothly shaven and his face was expressionless as he turned to Norman and said:

"Good morning, Mr. Taylor."

"You know me, then"—began Norman.

"Not personally," the other interrupted. "My clerk recognized you and identified—I should say, gave me your name. I examined you yesterday."

"You expected me?" said Norman, more surprised.

"Yes, our client, Mr. John Tarboe, who is your uncle, I believe, told us that we might expect you to call yesterday."

"Our client!" repeated Norman, aghast.

"Yes, I think I may say he told us your story."

"Is my uncle your partner now?"

"No, he has retired from practice and spends much of his time at his country home, on the Hudson, although he also has a town house."

"Is he wealthy?"

"I think he is a man of considerable means."

"I am glad to hear that," said Norman bluntly. "I want to borrow some money from him. Am I to see him?"

"Impossible!"

"That, I regret to say, is impossible now," said the lawyer. "He is not in the city now. Before leaving, however, he said to me, 'I expect my nephew, Norman Taylor, to return to New York in a few days. He will doubtless come here. If he does, I will be glad to have him discuss concerning him with Mr. Garden.'"

"Mr. Garden," said Norman, surprised, "I seem to recall that name. Who is he?"

"He is Mr. Tarboe's business manager."

Norman recalled the man, whom he had met once or twice at the office, a quiet man with a pretty little daughter of twelve or fourteen years. The girl had made a deep impression on him, but he had talked several times with the man, who was cynical and unmusing.

"What is his address?" he asked.

"He resides near Roslyn, L. I." said the man. "You can be driven to his home from the railroad station."

Norman made a note of the address and turned to go. At the door he stopped and abruptly faced the lawyer, who regarded him as inscrutably as before.

"You said my uncle had told you my story?"

"Yes," replied Brown.

It was on the point of the young man's tongue to ask if Tarboe believed him innocent. Checking the question, with a flush, he said:

"What did he tell you?"

"He said that you had been away for some years in South America, I believe, in charge of some property of his."

Norman looked at the man, whose face did not betray the slightest shadow of doubt. He bowedand walked slowly out. In the outer room the clerk was waiting. Norman turned suddenly to him and said:

"You recognized me?"

"Yes, I was here when Mr. Tarboe was presenting," replied the clerk.

"Then you knew me before?"

"By sight, very well."

"I have been away," remarked Norman, casually.

"Yes, sir, in South America, was it not?" Norman looked at the clerk, but he was as inscrutable as his master had been. Obviously he must have known the story, but he gave no sign.

As he walked out Norman pondered over the strange proceeding. Here he was being involved again in mystery. It seemed likely, indeed, his uncle was going to find him to the way.

CHAPTER V.

Friends or Enemies?

IT was after this strange interview with the lawyer for John Tarboe that Norman Taylor made his way to the home of James Garden on Long Island.

There he looked upon the beautiful face of Ruth Garden, and his heart throbbed as the quick smile of cordial welcome leaped into her face.

There he had fought down his longing to see her, to hear her voice, and possibly to inspire in her sympathy with his fight to win back his name.

He went back to Washington square and talked it all over with Martin. They could make little of it. That night Norman's dreams were heightened by a vision of the lovely girl he had seen.

The next morning before breakfast old Martin brought him a telegram. It was from James Garden and said:

"Have important business for me with Ruth and me to-night at Sherry's."

Norman's heart leaped. He thought Norman, with the quickened heart beat that he had felt for the first time in prison, of her the day before.

But almost on top of this thought came the puzzling question:

What could James Garden mean by making his daughter one of the party; by apparently inviting friendship between a penitentiary man just out of prison?

The telegram seemed to convey a subtle suggestion of cordiality, and to imply a disposition to forget the young man's sad past.

James Garden and his daughter were already in the restaurant seated at a table, evidently waiting for their guest, when Norman arrived. He recognized the broad back of Garden, and his eyes turned swiftly from that to the face of the girl beside him.

She lifted her eyes at the moment and they held each other with that subtle feeling that made Norman's heart leap. Then she had seen slowly lowered her eyes and Norman saw the color mount into her cheeks.

Her father, who had been looking at Norman, evidently saw the flush also and turned quickly to greet Norman.

"How do you do, Mr. Taylor" he said, rising and shaking hands cordially. "I am very glad to see you. I understand that you and I she have already become good friends."

"Daddy, I said we had seen each other," said Ruth, blushing again.

"That amounts to the same thing with young people, I believe," said Garden laughing. "Sit down, Mr. Taylor, and we will have a little appetizer before the dinner arrives. Ruth, you are Miss Ruth, and we'll make it a point to be early."

The man's cordiality, his easy reception of Norman, his suave acceptance of the young man as an acquaintance of his daughter, astonished Norman immensely.

For a few minutes he was ill at ease and uncertain what to do.

Then he pulled himself together, determined to enter into the spirit of the same as Garden played it, and seek developments. Besides, there was Ruth, and in her Norman found much to strengthen him in that resolution.

Garden talked amusingly, with a touch of worldly cynicism, and was decidedly entertaining. He was a striking figure in his evening clothes. His iron gray hair showed no sign of thinness. His eyes were keen and alert and full of humor. His clean-shaven face was strong and forceful.

He held the interest of both father and daughter, and the dinner was moving along rapidly when Norman looked over the room and saw his old friend or his bitter enemy—he could not tell which—Wilfred Drew, making his way carelessly toward their table.

Drew was handsome, dressed in the newest cut of evening clothes, and walked as one perfectly at ease in such a place.

Garden saw the look that leaped and died into Norman's eyes, and turned quickly. To the amusement of the young man, Garden recognized Drew and beckoned him to join them. As Drew came up Garden exclaimed:

"You're just in time to join us. I want you to meet my young friend, Norman Taylor."

Drew acknowledged the introduction readily, shaking hands with Norman. He did not betray that he had ever seen the young man or heard the name before.

Norman who had braced himself for the shock of recognition, was relieved. He feared that Drew might blurt out his history, forgot that in a fervor of his reasoning jealousy of Drew. He heard his compliments to Ruth, saw her blush with pleasure in his witty talk.

"Mr. Taylor, I forgot that in a former existence," said Garden, as the dinner neared its close, "I knew your father with Drew, and sit with Ruth, while Taylor and I have a little business talk."

"I will be delighted," said Drew, and Norman thought with pain at his heart that Ruth looked pleased also.

They drove from Sherry's in Garden's motor car to the Empire. After the first act Garden said to Norman:

"We can afford to miss the second act. Let us leave Drew and Ruth here, and have a little of a few minutes' walk from here where we can talk matters over."

To Be Continued in To-morrow's Boston American.

Who's Who in the Story

NORMAN TAYLOR.

A youth who became Fate's toy, and afterward, through woman's love, Fate's master.

RUTH GARDEN.

A girl of surpassing loveliness, caught in a web of tragedy, from which love sets her free.

JOHN TARBOE.

A Napoleon of criminal schemes, in which men and women are sacrificed to his greed of power, which finally is his undoing.

JAMES GARDEN.

An abettor in crime, who repents too late and becomes its victim.

NORA HARDING.

A loyal woman, who uses her brains to unravel the knot of Destiny.

BERT HARRIS.

A newspaper reporter, born with the hound's keen nose for a trail.

WILFRED DREW.

A trusting friend, who does his part to make all happy, in the end, who deserve happiness.

GROCER HELD FOR RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS

Charged with receiving stolen property consisting of sheets, pillow cases and underwear, Isaac Dartmouth, Boston, March 7, last, was struck by an automobile driven by Wellee.

In the same series of suites William A. Brooks, Jr., of Lincoln, was sued by Mrs. Fernald for $5,000, and by her husband for $1,000 for the loss of her services. Brooks is the owner of the automobile which Wellee was driving when Mrs. Fernald was run down.

Halleck Wellee, Jr., of Boston, is defendant in two similar suits, one for $2,000 and the other for $1,000, brought to-day in the office of Clerk of Courts in East Cambridge by Margaret Fernald of Cambridge and husband, Merritt Fernald.

$12,000 IN AUTO SUITS

SWAN WINS FIRST FIGHT TO KEEP BOY

Police Inspectors Tom Lynch and Harry Pierce, who went to Rio de Janiero more than a month ago to bring back Joseph Swan and the 7-year-old boy, Robert H. Swan—the father on the charge of kidnaping and the boy to be restored to the arms of his distracted mother, Mrs. Adrea F. Swan of Roxbury—will have to put up with the accommodations of the International Hotel at Rio for some time. Swan has won a mighty battle against extradition. Now he's fighting for his boy, and his third separate habeas corpus proceedings have just gone over to the September term of the Brazilian Supreme Court. The police think they'll win.

Chief Inspector Watts got a code cablegram to-day from the Boston inspectors telling all. They have engaged Jose Pipe Brandao, Esq., who also represents Mrs. Swan.

That "it is not a crime for a father to take his own son," divorce or no divorce, was the ruling of a Brazilian lower court. This meant that Swan could not be brought back to New England on the charge that the father had begun habeas corpus proceedings for the youngster, who is now stopping with the police inspectors at the International.

THOUSANDS OUT IN C. P. STRIKE

MONTREAL, Aug. 5.—The strike order which has already been obeyed by many of the mechanics along the Canadian Pacific thereby to extend along the line with twenty-four hours. The order was obeyed here and this morning at the Angus shops where 2,000 men put down their tools and walked out. Dispatches from Quebec, Winnipeg and North Bay state that the order was obeyed there.

Bell Hardy, president of the Mechanics' Association, who issued the order to strike, stated that probably all the men in the Montreal district were out. The men are also out in the McAdam Junction and other shops at New Brunswick to-day.

There was some hesitancy at the Angus shops on the part of the car men in obeying the order, but the answer out is about 2,200.

WANT $10,000 FOR AUTO DEATH

George Mercere Weatherbee of Waltham, the millionaire automobilist, who owns a large boarding stable in Cambridge and the Cambridge courts for $10,000 by Frank E. Batchelder of Cambridge, administrator of the estate of the late Warren M. Batchelder.

This suit is an echo of the mysterious case of May 5, 1907, when Warren M. Batchelder, twenty-one years of age, was run down and killed by an automobile in Western avenue, Cambridgeport, near his home.

For two days the driver and owner of the automobile which killed young Batchelder were a mystery. The police worked hard and finally arrested Weatherbee. He was later indicted for murder in the second degree. He pleaded guilty, paid a fine of $1,000 and served three months in the House of Correction in Cambridge.

NEW YORK DIVINE DEAD.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The Rev. Edward Wallace Neil, for twenty-five years pastor of the Church of St. Edward the Martyr at East One Hundred and Ninth street, was found dead in bed to-day in the rectory. Death was evidently due to heart disease from which the clergyman suffered.

LEAGUERS TO HAVE OUTING

A special meeting was held last night by the committee on arrangements for the field day to be held Labor Day under the auspices of the Middlesex County Committee of the Independence League.

The committee organized with the selection of George B. Gilsdon of Waltham as chairman and Augustus Seaver of Cambridge as secretary. Arrangements were begun toward securing Lexington Park. It is expected that a baseball game between two good teams, field sports, speaking and a clambake will be among the features of the day.

The following committees were appointed: Press and speakers, Charles E. Butterworth of Somerville, entertainment, Clarence I. Mercer of Cliftondale and Augustus Seaver of Cambridge; ways and means, Joseph A. Partridge and H. M. Chandler of Newton.

What a surprise awaits our sailors. For the pretty Maori girls of New Zealand are all decking themselves out in mats, rugs, blankets and their best calico gowns to show off to the jolly tars of the Atlantic fleet. See next Sunday's AMERICAN.

NEW SUSPECTS IN BANDIT HUNT

It is said that the Boston police are seeking Peter ——— and a man known to them as yet only by the name of Sware in connection with the sensational bandit "shooting up" in Jamaica Plain.

Plainde is described as being twenty years old, five feet seven inches tall and weighing about 175 pounds. He has high cheek bones, a roman nose, wore a small, light colored moustache when last seen.

Sware is described as being four or five years older than Plainde and as being about five feet three inches in height and weighing about 140 pounds. Like the other man his moustache was small and light in hue.

CLINTON BARN HIT BY BOLT, BURNED

MILFORD, Aug. 5.—A terrific thunder and lightning storm passed over this town early to-day. The large barn of Dillon Brothers, contractors, on High street, was hit by a bolt and burned to the ground. Two alarms, calling out the entire fire department, were sounded, but the property could not be saved.

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Main Floor

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Main Floor

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Second Floor

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Second Floor

Misses' $7.50 Repp Suits
Semi fitted, English Reefs, white and colors, 10 to 18 years..... **$2.95**
Second Floor

$16.50 & $18.50 Tailored Suits
Worsteds, Panama cloths, Galatea stripe, sizes 34 to 40..... **$4.50**
Second Floor

Men's $1 Bathing Suits
Two-piece, navy and black, 34 to 46..... **69c**
Third Floor

Smallwares Dept.
Chiffon Collar Foundations..... 2c
Dress Shields, pair..... 2c
Wire Hairpins, pkg..... 2c
Jet Hairpins..... 2c
Main Floor

Boys' $1 Khaki Pants
Sizes 3 to 11 years, 500 pairs, pair..... **69c**
Third Floor

Boys' $2.50 Khaki Suits
Military coat, long pants, sizes 6 to 16 years..... **1.47**
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Lace and embroidery trimmed, back and front, new tucked effects..... **79c**
Second Floor

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Sizes 6 months to 2 years, nainsook and insertion..... **50c**
Second Floor

$1.25 Long Kimonos
Made of fine lawn, plain, blue and lavender, cotton crepe..... **79c**
Second Floor

25c Wash Fabrics
Mercerized Panamas, ginghams, silk and cotton, plaid effects, and all inch khaki cloth, stripes and checks, yd..... **9c**
Main Floor

59c Silk Pongee
24 inch, Copenhagen, navy, brown, reseda, tan, pink, etc..... **23c**
Main Floor

25c to 50c Belts
Silk elastic, black, white, brown, tan, green, navy and Copenhagen, bandeau buckles..... **15c**
Main Floor

Grocery Odd Lots
Windsor spring Water: 1-gal. bottles..... 15c
Quart bottles..... 8c
Pint bottles..... 5c
½-pint bottles..... 3c
10c Jelly Powder, all flavors, perfect brand..... 5c
10c Ice Cream Powder, all flavors, package..... 8c
10c Fruit Jelly, Milford Kennel, assorted kinds, class tumbler..... 7½c
Fifth Floor

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Black and white, 16-button, per pair..... **69c**
Main Floor

15c Huck Towels
Hemmed, hems, red and white border dies..... **9c**
Main Floor

25c Ribbons
Brass taffeta, messaline and fancy, 3½ to 6 inches wide, all colors..... **15c**
Main Floor

19c White Goods
Auto cloth, scrambles linen, 36 inches wide, seconds..... **12½c**
Main Floor

55c Double Boilers
2½-qt., gray enamel, seamless..... **39c**
Basement

59c Sauce Pan
10-qt., gray enamel, with cover, bottle shape..... **39c**
Basement

Toilet Articles
50c Bay Rum..... 29c
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Main Floor

50c Satin Venetians
32 inches wide, all colors, yard..... **29c**
Main Floor

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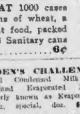

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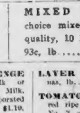

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EVAPORATED APRICOTS—Extra fancy Moore Park, lb..... **22c**

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'Another Man' in the Case

The Spinster Lady Lectures a Careless Husband

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

"THERE'S a gentleman waiting to see you, miss," said the Spinster Lady's neat little maid.

"Has he been here long, Dulia?"

"Yes, miss; some time. He seems worried, miss. He's been walking up and down every minute since he came."

As the Spinster Lady opened the door of her sitting room a tall, hoary-looking man stepped forward to greet her.

"How do you do, John? It's a long time since we've met; you are such a very busy person."

The man smiled a little sadly.

"I think perhaps I've been so busy that I've almost made a sad mess of things, Mary has been here?" he added questioningly.

"Yes; she was here all morning, but she has gone home now."

"Poor little Molly! Did she tell you all her unhappiness?"

"Yes, she did; and, though I scolded her well, I think she has some excuse for her unhappiness, John; I really do."

"That's just what I have come to talk to you about. I want your assistance. What can I do to mend matters?"

Stranger to Wife

"Did you know that Mary was actually thinking of getting a divorce?"

"Has it come to that?" said the man, with whitening face.

"Yes, she says that you do not understand her; that you care for nothing but business, and that at last she has met a man who does understand her. She thinks that if she got a divorce from you and married him, she would be happy."

"And the children?"

"Well, I am afraid that she had worked herself up to such a pass that not even the children counted for much; but after a long talk with me this morning she went home in a much better frame of mind."

"My poor little girl! I had no idea things had come to such a pass. You see," with an apologetic smile, "I have been so taken up with this new land deal."

"And while you were speculating in land, another man was stealing your wife's affection."

"The scoundrel! I'd like to kill him!" Spinster Lady's neat little maid said.

Gave a Fine Chance

"That's not the way to talk. He saw that you apparently were not very much interested in her, and he found her pretty and attractive. Naturally he took advantage of the situation."

"And now what is to be done?"

"Supposing you try taking as much interest in Molly as you do in your cattle, for a change. Other men find her charming. Why not you also? I tell you, John," went on the Spinster Lady, earnestly, "you cannot neglect a young and pretty wife and expect her to remain entirely true."

"Love and attention are her birthright, and if she does not get it legitimately she is quite likely to take it otherwise.

"Mary is your wife and the mother of your children, and you owe her honor and attention as such."

Shows the "Way Out"

"But I am such a clumsy old bear, I don't understand all the things she cares for."

"Well, at least take an interest in her interest in them. Take her out more. You ought to be proud of such a pretty wife."

"I am, and I love her dearly."

"Well, show that you do by paying more attention to her. Try and make yourself look a little bit smarter. That's a shocking hat and suit for a man in your position to wear. You are three times more of a man than this 'affinity' she has discovered."

"He is an 'affinity,' is he?" with a grim smile. "Well, dear Spinster Lady, thanks for your advice. I am going to look after my wife myself and send that 'affinity' about his business, double quick."

And he strode off with an air of determination that caused the Spinster Lady to smile with satisfaction, and to murmur:

"These big, strong, quiet men are real men when they once get roused."

It's the "too busy" husband that gives "the other man" a clear field.

When Betty Is Day-Dreaming

By NELL BRINKLEY

THERE comes a time to every Bettina—not one time, but many, many times it comes—when all the world around her vanishes in the golden mist of the dreams that are part of her very own self. With eyes wide open she looks upon the world of real things and sees it not. The voices of all things—the sea and the wind and living creatures—may chorus at her ear, but she hears them not. She sees only a vision without shape, and hears only a music that is not sound—the body and voice of the undefined longing that is born in the heart of every woman.

If the one she is waiting for comes and says "A penny for your thoughts," and drags her back into the world of real things, she can only say, "I wasn't thinking; just day-*dreaming*." And there's no other thing she can tell about it. *Angelfaces*, as you know your very own selves.

NELL BRINKLEY.

Little Bobbie's Slate

Pa Tries Entertaining Company. He Won't Try Again

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

THE picter on my slait to-day is Pa ree-siting a poem, thare is no body els in the picter, beckaus wen Pa got almost thru ree-siting everybody was going out of the room, thay dident stay to heer Pa do all the poem, he ree-sited it vary bad, thay sed.

Wen Ma sed to Pa last nite that thare was going to be company up to the house, Pa sed Vary well, I will endevver to entertain them as best I can. I am a born entertainer, sed Pa.

Did you ever notis, Pa sed, the way that sum peepul can tell a story or sing a song, & always git the big laffs, wile others tells a story or sings a song like the Cherry Sisters. It is mosstly personal magnetism, sed Pa, with a dash of stage prezents added.

In my case, for instens, Pa sed, nobody cud beet me telling a story or singing a song without saying two (2) things:

One (1) That a fine bass voice he has.

Two (2) What a tremendously powerful & hansum man he is, to be sure.

Intellect & Grate

You wife & me, Pa sed, while it is true that the intellect is a grace & grand thing for a man to have in his hed, the body must not be overlooked, & the way we dress.

Far be it from me, Pa sed, to say anything against the intellect, having so much of it myself, but I am wise enuff to know that the body has inflooh to do with it, beckaus every time a very small man gits up to tell a story, unless he is a extra good story teller with a extra good story, everybody yells Set Down in Front.

In my day, sed Pa, I have attended sum of the biggest baskets ever gave, & you can talk it from me that pure old Pain here was never left off of the program. The basket in which I was not called on to respond to a toast is so few & far between that I do not recall them at the present moment.

One time, in partikular, sed Pa, I was at a banket gave by the Anshunt Order of United Workmen, & altho I was not a member of the order, I knocked thare eyes out, sed Pa. I had them roaring with plesshure one minnit, & crying the next.

It is true, sed Pa, that they got thare sirns crossed sort or twixe (2) & laffed wen I was ree-siting a sad poem & cried wen I was telling a funny story, but on the whole ther was a grate audience, for United Workmen.

At the end of the performens thay carried me out of the hall on thare shoulders, my feet was on thare shoblers & my hed was on the floor. Many a time have I been carried from a banket that way, sed Pa, altho I supposs it isent anything to boast anout.

A other time, sed Pa, I was in South Bend, Indiana, & the B. P. O. E. gave a entertainment & asked me to cum & speak. I was the lion of the evening, sed Pa. My biggest servans that nite, sed Pa, was wen I put on a sheeta gown & ree-sited the Maiden's Prayer on the piano. I hogged the whole show that nite, sed Pa.

Jest then the company began to cum, & Pa was hung for a little while showing the men where thay cud hang up thare coats & I guess sum of the men must have wore spektakels, beckaus I cud heer the glasses clink. Then after the company was all set down, Pa sed, Well, let me have a little music. So Ma played for the company.

Ma is a very good player, she played three (3) or four (4) peeces & everybody sed How perfectly lovly. She is very good in ittr way, sed Pa. My little son will now ree-site The Ile of Grease, the Ile of Grease, Ware Burning Soffo Lord & Sung. So I ree-sited it & everybody clapped thare hands & sed he has talent.

Git the Hook for Pa

Then a lady by the naim of Mistor Adams sang I Fell in Luv with Pheeby, & a man named John Kits sang No Bird Ever Flew so High But What it Had to Life, and then Pa sed Well, sence you is-sist, I will dee-klaim for you, & then Pa started & sed:

I stood at Eve wen the sun went down
Near a grate ware a woman lies.

It's vary tough but it's true, I sed. That have to lie even wen they're ded. Gil the hook and end me (I) of the men.

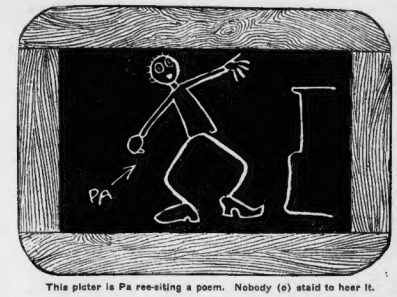
Ree-site it to Mister Sweeney, sed a other man.

As I was saying, sed Pa, wen I was so rudely interrupted, I will now ree-site a poem entitled Osier Joe.

But the crowd wuddent let Pa ree-site it, so Pa sed Then I will ask a question wich is a riddel.

Wat is it that goes round & round the house & then climbs the porch? I give it up, sed the peepul. A porch climber, sed Pa, ila ila.

Nobody laffed excep Pa & he got red in the face & sed I guess I am playing to a lot of frozen faced Parsies & then all the company went home. Pa sed he beet going to have any moar company.



This picter is Pa ree-siting a poem. Nobody (o) staid to heer it.

Are Seven Out of Eight Married Couples Unhappy?

"IT the coat fits, put it on," is an old saying that is directly applicable to the letters from readers of the AMERICAN in answer to the question:

Are seven out of eight married couples unhappy?

Each letter is a picture of conditions affecting some married couple, resulting in happiness or unhappiness, as the case may be. Consequently each letter is a lesson, showing either the things to avoid if you would escape unhappiness, or the things to imitate if you would gain happiness.

All the letters are worth reading by husbands and wives, and by those who expect to become husbands and wives. Here are some of them:

Mistake of Nagging Wives.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—Just a few lines from one who has been married twelve years and still is as happy as the day I got married and wouldn't change my life with any single person. I can truthfully say that we have never quarrelled, and we are both engaged with out by, although we are not wealthy, but happy. We have one son and one daughter. If women would only know enough to stop nagging at a man there would be more happy homes. When men have trouble at their work they like to come home and think it over. Then you will hear the nagging wife say: "Oh, he don't love me any more." He would hardly speak to me last night." Take the man as he comes, and you will be far happier.

KATIE L. H.

Few and Far Between.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—I think a woman may be happily married if she is utterly foolish, clever and devoted to her husband, worshipping his opinions as law. But for a woman want her own way or voice her own opinion and there is at once discord. The majority of married women are unhappy because their husbands don't realize the fact that they are rather tired of their partners of years' standing and turn toward a new face.

Many men are wrapped up in their business and talk causes unhappiness. A woman needs more admiration and attention than her husband cares to bestow, and her heart is often starving for a caress or a love-like kiss instead of the dutiful smack most husbands give as a matter of routine. Yes, ideal couples are few and far between after the sixth year.

HELEN.

Happy, But Thinks Few Are Happy

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—Are seven out of eight couples unhappy? Most certainly, if they both try to rule, which is most always the case in our case we both rule, but only ourselves. I am a Southerner; my husband a Northerner. He is a Catholic; I am a Protestant. Naturally you will think we disagree at times and are unhappy, but such is not the case. We are married six years. We agreed that the boys should go with him in religion and the girls with me. We have one little girl five years of age. He has never spoken against me being a Protestant. Indeed, he often takes her to her Sunday school door. We also equally divide our time between the North and South. When he feels like taking pleasure and I do not, he takes it alone. I do the same, and we ask no questions as to where the other went, how spent the time. We have trust and true love for each other, and are exceedingly happy; but I firmly believe that we are the one couple out of the eight that is happy.

MRS. E. C.

What do YOU think about it; Are seven out of eight married couples unhappy? Write your answer on one side of the paper only, and send it to Magazine Page Editor, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street.

Expert Advice on Beauty

By the Professor

REMOVE THE CAUSE

DEAR PROFESSOR:

I am twenty-three years of age and have very black hair. Last Winter it fell out in large quantities. Now it is coming in again and a great many of the hairs are quite light, while others are grow white. Kindly tell me of something that will prevent them from turning white.

L. P.

I KNOW of nothing that will prevent hair from coming in gray. It may be that your physician, who knows the state of your system, may be able to treat your nerves so as to remove the cause.

REDUCE FLESHY ABDOMEN

DEAR PROFESSOR:

I would like to know how to reduce the flesh on my abdomen. This is the second time I have written you about the same thing, and have been watching the papers, but never saw it. Please answer this and tell me what I can do to keep from getting fatter.

MRS. W.

SUPERFLUOUS flesh can be removed from the abdomen by bowing exercises and, in fact, any exercise which works the muscles of the abdomen. Pinching up the flesh and rolling it between the thumb and forefinger will also help, although the flesh must go by inward and In the bowing exercises hold the arms extended above the head with palms to the front. Sweep them toward the floor in the attempt to touch the floor with the tips of the fingers without bending the knees. You may not be able to touch the floor near it at first, but in time you will be able to put the palms of the hands on the floor. Do your own housework and sweeping, bedmaking, etc. These are the very best exercises you can find for the purpose of reducing flesh. I cannot answer your other question through this column.

Scented Hairpins

SCENTED hairpins are the latest novelty for women. They are arranged to hold a slender vial of perfume. A woman can put her hand to her head, and by touching a spring release a tiny spray of perfume. A hairdresser, explaining it, says: "The idea is to humor misguided fond perfumers. We have found that, however fine a scent may be, it is apt to become stale after being exposed to the air for a couple of hours. Even scent sachets fail in this respect, and nothing is more aggressive than the odor of stale perfume. It is quite easy for a woman to put her hair or replace a hairpin, and this is all that is necessary to release the perfume. Hairpins are made in gold for blondes, tortoise shell for brown hair, dark amber for auburn-haired women and silver for gray locks."

Advice to the Lovelorn

By Beatrice Fairfax

A DIFFICULT QUESTION

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

About three years ago I met a young man, whom in the course of time I grew to love, and as he declared his love we were to have been married. Then a few months ago I committed a very foolish act, for which he was sent to Elmira Reformatory. Upon his pardon he immediately started in his corresponding again. I have corresponded with him since, secretly. He has very sincerely repented, and is trying to lead an upright, Christian life to atone for the past; is making a salary of $27 a week and is able to support a wife very well. Now, my parents are very much against him, and I am afraid would never consent to my marrying him. What will I do?

F. C.

IF the man has sincerely repented and is leading an honest life I see no reason why you should not marry him, especially as you know the whole story. However, I cannot urge you to take such a step without the consent of your parents. If time proves the sincerity of the young man's repentance, I think they will consent.

ASK THE LADY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I met a young lady about four years ago. After going with her for about three months we parted. After three years elapsed I wrote her and asked if I could call. She wrote and said "yes." Do you think that I should confess my love to this young lady, who is nineteen and I am twenty, and if she returns my love is it necessary for me to give her an engagement ring, as some of my friends told me is generally the way?

When I called on this young lady she is rather pleased to see me, and as her mother told me that her daughter enjoys my company very much I think I cannot do enough to show her that I love her without telling her. I love her dearly and am anxious to find out whether she loves me or not.

ANXIOUS.

THE only thing to do is to tell her of your love, and ask for hers in return. If you become engaged to her and can afford to give her a ring, do so by all means.

BETTER TELL HER

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

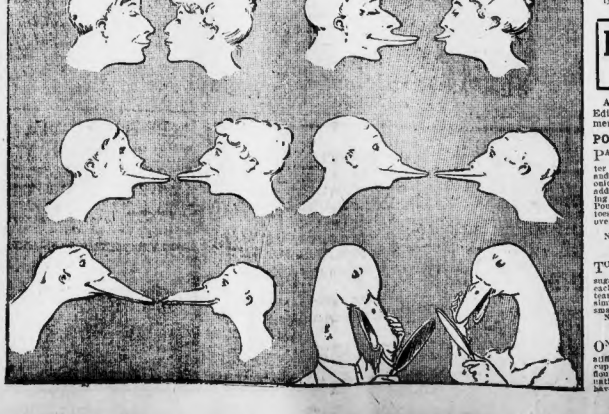
A short time ago I met a young lady and it was a case of love at first sight with me. When I saw this young lady, from what I have heard, never had any attention from me, and does not want any steady company, but when I met her out on the street she says that she would like to go. There is something I can't help noticing about her. She doesn't seem the least bit reserved. When I leave her at her home she always thanks me, and admits she has had a most delightful time. I am passionately in love with her and would like her to know of it. But am afraid to tell her.

HEARTBROKEN.

YOU can at least tell her of your love, and who knows but that it may be reciprocated. Perhaps you had better wait a few weeks, until she knows you better, and by that time she may have grown to care for you.

DON'T KISS TOO MUCH

A Warning to Engaged Couples



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POTATOES BAKED IN CREAM

PARE and cut into very small dice enough potatoes to fill a quart measure. Butter a baking dish, one or two inches deep and put in potatoes, sprinkle with chopped onion and dot with bits of butter. Then add another layer of potatoes, with seasoning and butter until all potatoes are used. Pour over them enough milk to let potatoes show through and place in a moderate oven and bake one hour.

MISS MURIEL ELKINS.

No. 112 Newburg street, Boston.

ECONOMY RELISH

TO one can of tomatoes add six small onions chopped fine, one cup brown sugar, one-half cup vinegar, two teaspoons each of allspice and whole cloves, also one teaspoon salt. Place in stew pan and let simmer two hours. When cool place in stone jars.

MRS. W. H. MOREHOUSE.

No. 4 Lacrane place, Roxbury.

BUTTER SCOTCH PIE

ONE cup of brown sugar, a lump of butter size of egg; let these boil to a stiff wax; to the yolk of one egg add one cupful of milk, two heaping teaspoonfuls of flour; stir into the wax and let them boil until thick; when cool place in bake crust ready baked; pour mixture in; beat the white of an egg and two teaspoons of granulated sugar and spread on the top. Bake a light brown.

CLARA B. PRICE.

No. 68 Cleveland avenue, Paxton, R. I.

HOME-MADE MUSTARD

ONE heaping tablespoon flour mixed with one-half cup cold water, set on stove and stir until smooth; take off, add two eggs beaten well; a piece of butter size of walnut, one-half teaspoonful each salt and pepper, one heaping teaspoonful mustard, dissolved in one-quarter cup vinegar; put all together and cook until smooth and creamy.

MRS. C. J. FOGG.

Readfield, Me.

CHOCOLATE LOAF CAKE

CREAM together one-half cup butter, one cup sugar; add two well beaten eggs, mix one and two-third cups of flour, two teaspoonfuls baking powder and a salt spoon of vanilla and one-third mixture with one-half cup of milk, one teaspoonful of vanilla; beat well, add two squares chocolate melted, bake in loaf form thirty to thirty-five minutes when cool cover with frosting.

WHITE FROSTING.

Put into a bowl the white of one egg, one teaspoonful of cold water, one teaspoonful lemon juice and a scant cup of powdered sugar; beat with a silver fork or spoon until firm enough to hold shape.

MISS RUTH LITTLEFIELD.

Watertown.

GIRL KILLED BY WILD AUTO ON BRIDAL EVE

Miss Mary Korb, Victim of Accident at Pythian Camp, Was to Wed Soon.

MOTHER IS BADLY HURT

Almost on the eve of her wedding—which was postponed because of her sister's death by fire—Miss Mary Korb lies dead at her home, No. 1,066 Washington street, Dorchester, and her mother is at the City Hospital, seriously injured, as the result of the mad dash of a wild automobile through a crowd of spectators at the Pythian camp at Franklin Field last night.

Joseph Korb, the foster father of the young victim of the automobile accident, is prostrated with grief at the tragic accidents that have cost him the lives of his two daughters and left his wife at death's door.

At Christmas time last year Miss Mary Korb was to have become the bride of Arthur Bachelder of Dorchester. It was at that time that the series of fatalities began in the Korb home. Miss Frances Korb was fatally burned then, and because of that accident Miss Mary Korb's wedding was postponed until September 1 next.

Six Were Hurt.

Arthur Bachelder, her fiance, strongly opposed the postponement, but finally reluctantly yielded to the circumstances. Now he is grief stricken and refuses to be seen by any one except his family.

The mother of the dead girl is Mrs. Alice Korb, has a broken thigh, and Albert C. Montgomery, aged nineteen, of No. 9 Woodbine street, has a broken skull and other wounds, from last night's accident at Franklin Field.

Adopted Daughter.

The Korb family are all musicians of ability, and Louis Korb, a brother to the two dead girls, is one of the leading musicians of Dorchester. The girls were general favorites in Dorchester society, and the death of Mary, coming so soon after that of her sister, has cast a gloom over the circles in which they moved.

Mary Korb was born Mary Mahoney and was adopted by Mrs. Korb upon the death of her mother. Mrs. Korb's sister, when Mary was only eight years old. When she was fifteen Mary was legally adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Korb.

The others injured are Miss Irene Schaefer, No. 24 Michigan avenue, Dorchester; David Schaefer of the same address; Mrs. Annie Colcon, No. 11 Lawrence street, South End, and John F. Sullivan of the same address.

Dingfield, a big touring car in charge of William G. Seavey, Jr., of No. 18 Michigan avenue, Dorchester, dashed into the crowd at a speed of sixty miles an hour, crushed the life from Miss Korb, knocked down her mother, narrowly escaped hitting Sullivan and Mrs. Colcon, who fell and were bruised in their efforts to escape, struck an electric car and then, plunging against the curb, turned turtle, throwing out the occupants, who make up the remainder of the list of injured. As the big car tipped over it took fire and an alarm was sent in for the fire apparatus. District Chief Tabor and his men extinguished the blaze.

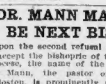
Seavey, the chauffeur of the car, was held by the police for some hours after the accident and was released after telling his story.

Miss Korb and her mother were attempting to board a trolley as the automobile struck them. They were swept beneath the wheels of the big car, which then passed on. Sullivan and Mrs. Colcon were directly in the path of the car when Sullivan saw it coming. He grabbed the woman and threw her out of the way, barely escaping himself by leaping to one side as the touring car swept past. Mrs. Colcon, after leaped from the auto, receiving bruises and cuts about her head and face. As the car tipped over Montgomery was thrown out and struck on his head.

SAY DR. MANN MAY BE NEXT BISHOP

Close upon the second refusal of Bishop Brent to accept the bishopric of the Washington diocese, the name of the Rev. Dr. Alexander Mann, the pastor of Trinity Church, Boston, is prominently mentioned as the probable successor to the late Bishop Henry Yates Satterlee.

Dr. Mann is now on his Summer vacation, so it could not be learned whether or not he would allow his name to be used as a candidate.



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NEW PARTY OUTDOES OLD IN ROUSING RATIFICATION

GREAT ENTHUSIASM MARKS ENDORSEMENT OF THE UNBOSSED NATIONAL TICKET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—There was more genuine enthusiasm to the square inch at the ratification meeting of the Independence party ticket in the Tenth Assembly District last night than all the demonstration over the endorsement of the Democratic ticket in the same district combined. Coroner Harburger held a Bryan demonstration and the contrast was striking.

The Independence ratification occurred in the district club house at No. 100 East Fourth street, which was crowded at the doors when Colonel James A. Martin began to speak. Colonel Martin was a delegate to the national convention, and he knows both the party candidates intimately. He paid a glowing tribute to the sterling probity of Thomas L. Hisgen, and evoked a rousing demonstration for John Temple Graves.

"The matchless leadership of Graves in the South for the people's welfare is only," he declared, "an earnest of what that statesman, orator and journalist will do if elected to the honor of the vice-presidency."

Colonel Martin told of the fruitless attempt of party leaders to urge the intervention of Mr. Hearst in the selection of the candidates at Chicago, and how the latter told them to fight it out on their own lines.

"There never was a convention so free from dictation and bossism. It was a revelation to the delegates who deserted the old standards after years of disappointment and disgust. We had at last found freedom and independence."

Evokes a Demonstration.

Colonel Martin's speech was pithy and stirring and at the close the crowd gave three rousing cheers and assured him they would work and fight and plan for the success of the Independence party. The name of Hearst evoked a demonstration whenever the mention and the name of Mr. Hearst would work even harder for Hisgen and Graves than if he himself were be declared, "an earnest of what that a candidate created enthusiasm.

BRYAN LAUGHS AT BILL TAFT'S 'CANNED' TALK

FAIRVIEW, Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 5.—William J. Bryan took a playful poke to-day at William H. Taft over the fact that the latter has followed his example in talking into phonographs to be used in a commercial way. He said:

"The Republican papers have been making fun of me for using the phonograph as a means of reaching the public, but since the Republican candidate has followed the example, I presume that the criticism will cease and that this will now be regarded as a dignified method of discussing public questions. If looks as if the Democrats are going to have a hard time this year in protecting their patents from infringement. The Republicans seem bent upon infringing not only our platform but our campaign methods, but there is some satisfaction in the fact that we are setting the pattern."

H. H. Schmidt, representing National Committeeman Garber of Ohio, held before Mr. Bryan a scheme by which he is to write personally to all voters in the doubtful States contrasting the two platforms. He was referred to Chairman Mack with an indorsement of the proposition.

MICHEL IN ASHES AS FIRE SWEEPS TOWN

Citizens Lose in Unequal Battle Against Canadian Forest Fires.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 5.—The city of Michel, next to devastated Fernie, the largest in the burned district, is a heap of ashes to-day. It was destroyed even more completely than Fernie, after a three days' bitter battle by the inhabitants, in which they struggled to the last to save their homes. The unequal battle was given up this morning, when what little was left of the city was given over to the flames without further resistance.

It started to burn in real earnest last night. From a light eastern breeze the wind turned to a gale from the west and the city was soon doomed.

The blaze came sweeping down the hill. At the edge of the town 100,000 feet of mine timber, owned by the coal company, caught fire and four loaded railroad cars standing on a side track were consumed. Two standard Pacific locomotives were hitched to a train to carry the fire fighters away to the west to safety. By the time the train left for the west the fire was spreading all over the yards.

The train got only half a mile on its journey when it encountered a wall of flame. There was danger of its being burned in and being burned with every body on board, as the locomotives were reversed and were run back with all speed. By the time the train returned all the houses on the flat district back of the Great Northern depot were burning, and the main town was likely to catch at any moment.

Finally only a lone newspaper man and the telegrapher still stuck to the place, standing by the telegraph instrument to the last minute. The last message the newspaper man sent was:

"Many houses are burning. Trains can not get west of here. Railway service west of this town will be blocked indefinitely. To the east the line is clear. Will try to reach Crow's Nest and forward from there."

FOREST FIRES CAUSE LOSS OF $7,000,000 IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

WINNIPEG, Aug. 5.—The forest fires, which have cost scores of lives and millions of dollars in the Crow's Nest district of the Elk River Valley of British Columbia, are now sweeping a wild and sparsely settled country, and it is believed the worst is over. The flames are eating through vast forests on the mountain sides, and it is thought they will soon burn themselves out for lack of something to destroy.

A conservative valuation places the loss at between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000. Several thousand persons have been rendered homeless, principally residents of Fernie, which, according to all accounts, is almost completely wiped out, scarcely more than a score of buildings being left, where once a prosperous town of 5,000 inhabitants stood.

The Canadian Pacific's loss is about $300,000 and the Great Northern's $700,000.

A careless traveller who threw a lighted match into the underbrush started a forest fire twelve miles from Hoquiam on the Hump-Tuilips-Hoquiam road, State of Washington, that, quickly getting beyond control, has burned over over 10,000 acres of slashings, on which were piled $2,000,000 worth of cut timber, and now threatens to destroy the logging camps of the Polson Logging Company, Shaw & Nelson and the Stockwell Logging Company.

Over 1,000 acres of standing timber lie directly in the path of the flames, and unless the fire can be put out or the wind, which is now blowing a gale, die down, one thousand men are fighting the fire, but at this time they seem unable to check its progress.

The evolution of the overskirt. By Mrs. Cholly Knickerbocker. First the narrow sash on the sheath skirt. The sash widens, but is still wound around the figure. The sash becomes more full. Is used in festoons and—then the overskirt appears. See next Sunday's AMERICAN.

HUGHES WILL NOT BOLT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Governor Hughes positively denied to-day that there was any foundation for the report that he might run as an independent candidate to succeed himself in case he is not renominated by the State Republican convention.

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City Point cars may be taken at many points, including Scollay Square, Dewey Square, Dorchester, Bay, Charlestown, Washington Street, Park Square, Arlington, Boylston, Huntington Avenue Stations and Dover Street. City Point may also be reached by boat from Rowes Wharf, Atlantic Avenue, at the foot of Pearl street. It is but a little over two miles from the centre of the city.

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IS SHOCKED TO DEATH ON STAGE

ERIE, Pa., Aug. 5.—William Nunn, stage manager, employed at Four Mile Creek Vaudeville Theatre, a local Summer resort, was instantly killed by coming into contact with a defective switchboard during the progress of to-day's performance.

Miss Dora Pelletier, a comedienne with the company, pulled the unconscious man from the wires, while terror-stricken stage hands stood helpless near by. The woman received a severe shock. The audience was kept in ignorance of the tragic act going on behind the scenes.

CAVANAUGH-GAVIN WEDDING AT QUINCY

At St. John's Catholic Church, Quincy, to-day, Miss Agnes Louise Cavanaugh, daughter of John Cavanaugh of Braintree, a prominent builder, and George B. Gavin of Quincy, assistant day editor of the Boston Globe, were married. Rev. John J. Coan, pastor of the church, officiated. He also celebrated the nuptial mass. Miss Grace Mildred Cavanaugh, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and James E. O'Connell, brother of Congressman Joseph F. O'Connell, was best man. Mayor Sisen and prominent State and city officials were present.

SUES LOWELL FOR WAGES ON OLD JOB

Thomas F. Garvey of Lowell, who has testified under oath that he was told in 1906 to "get in line for Colonel Carmichael", for Mayor of Lowell, and who didn't get in line, and who lost his job as yard foreman for the Board of Health because, he says, of his failure to get in line, brought suit to-day against the city of Lowell in the Superior Court at East Cambridge for $1,248.60.

KILLED BY FALL IN GREASE VAT

William M. Krom, twenty-eight, who boarded at No. 9 Pressley street, Malden, was instantly killed by a fall at the North Packing & Provision Company, Medford street, Somerville.

He was oiling machinery in the refinery department, standing on a small iron platform eight feet above a waste grease vat, which contains eighteen inches of lukewarm grease. It is supposed Krom was using the small iron pipe through which the oil passes to the pulley box and that the pipe became caught in a pulley and in revolving struck Krom over the head, knocking him from the platform. His head struck the grease tank and he fell through an open hatchway into the vat.

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HUB WOMAN IN AUTO WRECK

WORCESTER, Aug. 5.—Mrs. Jason D. Bailey, of No. 853 Washington street, Boston, is at the Mansion House in Hudson, suffering from severe wounds as a result of an accident last night to Mr. Bailey's automobile at Hudson. The car turned turtle when the chauffeur attempted to escape hitting another car and ran into a gully. In the car at the time were Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bulsey and son and a Mr. Ramsay of Boston. They were pinned under the car for some time.

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PIRATES DON'T SIZE UP WITH CUBS OR GIANTS

W. Hones Angus insists on making some more of his fancy throws it's a good bet on the Doves to-morrow in the third contest with the Pirates, as it was a wierd heave of the wild Dutchman which won for the Doves yesterday, therefore the only Hans stands very popular with the Hub fans.

As a championship proposition the Pirates look several colors worse than the Cubs, according to the kind of games they played here, but there are two days remaining of their visit and some real pennant form may come to light.

When the team does go up in the air it seems as high as any outfielder ever went and as for a hitting aggregation there has been no cause for pleading any mercy on the chesty sea scavengers.

The teams have split up on the two games played, and it is refreshing to realize that the Doves are actually striding with the leaders of the league and going a bit faster if anything, and there is not much chance of the Pirates ruling as strong favorites in the remainder of the series.

The Hub followers of the game have had a fair opportunity to size up the Pirates as a pennant proposition, and so far they have failed to show where they have the on the Cubs or Giants in the race for the flag.

It appears more like a split up combination, lacking the unison of hitting which is so essential to win a championship.

It is too much of a one-man team, every effort depending on what Wagner will do, and when he fails to get the base hits there is no one to take it up, as the impression seems to exist that the celebrated Dutchman cannot waste the opposing team when the big is up, as their efforts would be unavailing.

NO BALL GAME TO-DAY; DOUBLE-HEADER WITH PIRATES TO-MORROW

BATTING ORDER TO-MORROW.

PITTSBURG.	BOSTON.
Thomas, c.f.	Bennett, r.f.
Leach, 3b.	Ingleis, s.s.
Clarke, l.f.	Kelley, c.f.
Wagner, s.s.	McLain, 1b.
Abbaticchio, 2b.	Ritchey, 2b.
Wilson, r.f.	Browne, l.f.
Burke, 1b.	Sweeney, 3b.
Gibson, c.	Graham, c.
Camnitz, p.	Lindaman, p.

The third game in the series between the Doves and the Pirates to-day was called off on account of the rain and a double-header will be played to-morrow beginning at 2 o'clock.

The postponement was a big disappointment to the local team as they had found the ball to their liking and the grounds were ready to hand over another set back but will take the opportunity to make it two out of three to-morrow if the rain breaks right.

The local team will benefit by the layoff as the pitchers, who have had some heavy work out against the Pirates, will benefit a little time to rest up and be stronger for the remainder of the series with the pirates.

Little Tom McCarthy added another win to his credit yesterday when he held the Pirates in check while Herr Wagner proceeded to throw the game away to the Doves. Tommy had to be taken out of the game at the end of the fourth inning, not because the Pirates had anything to do with it, but owing to an injury sustained as he was running to the plate in the fourth.

By some Oriental methods of coaching McCarthy was sent from third to score on a short fly to Clarke, when there were already four runs over the pan and two out. As a consequence he got his hand hurt, which made it impossible for him to continue.

Ferguson, who relieved him, proved an able substitute, for the Pirates got only one run and three hits during the time he was on the mound, and he ended up by fanning Kane, who substituted for Camnitz.

The Pirates' ascension occurred in the fourth inning, when Lefty Leifield got a case of blind staggers as he passed both Ritchey and Browne, and to cap the climax, when Sweeney batted one to Wagner he plastered the ball on the bonce for the first base bleachers and allowed Sweeney to make the circuit with the bases ahead of him. Graham nearly had his shirt torn off by one of Leifield's curves and took his base. Then McCarthy in the proper manner placed a punch in front of the plate and Gibson, seeing Graham fleeing towards second, made a mighty heave and the ball sailed into centre field while Graham picked up the first. Thomas was to be outdone, dung the sphere any old way at Leach, standing at third, to head off Graham, and the circuit with the bases packed was pulled off.

Leifield began to get his goat in the fifth by passing the first man up and Clarke quickly landed for a single, also scoring for Howard Camnitz, his crack pitcher, who stopped any more merry-go-round playing.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	62	35	.639
New York	61	37	.622
Chicago	56	38	.596
Philadelphia	54	45	.545
Cincinnati	48	53	.475
Boston	43	53	.448
Brooklyn	35	57	.380
St. Louis	33	67	.330

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Boston, 4; Pittsburg, 1.
Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.
New York, 4; St. Louis, 3, first game (12 innings).
New York, 4; Cincinnati, 1, second game.
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 0.

GAMES TO-DAY.

Pittsburg at Boston, Brooklyn at St. Louis, Chicago at Philadelphia, Cincinnati at New York.

R. D. LITTLE. W. A. LARNED.

Tennis Cracks Who Met for Longwood Cup

BIG TALENT COMING FOR "CY" YOUNG DAY

There is only one big holiday in sight for the next few weeks and that is the Cy Young event which comes August 13, when the domain of Uncle Sam pays homage to the greatest twirler of the age.

President John I. Taylor arrived home to-day from his auto trip around the New England States and immediately got down to business on the Cy Young event.

He found a lot of mail from the different American clubs offering talent to make up the nine which will face the Red Sox in the big attraction.

From Cleveland and Detroit came word that an early date for a postponed game to play off on that day they might not be able to send any of their regulars, but battery men would be available.

Chase, Keeler and Chesbro.

The Highlanders will contribute the services, through the kindness of President Farrell, of Hal Chase, the wizard first sacker; Wee Willie Keeler, in Young's class as a fine hitter, and possibly Jack Chesbro will come over to twirl a few innings.

President Comiskey is enthusiastic over making the day a great one for the dean of the pitching corps of the league. Captain Fielder Jones, Billy Sullivan, the great backstop, and veteran George Davis will be the White Sox members here.

The Quakers to come will be Harry Davis, Danny Coffey, the great Hall fly-chaser; Danie Schreckengost, the inimitable mark reaper, and Pitcher Eddie Cicotte, in this ocean of diamond warriors there is lacking a shortstop, but one will be secured well known to all the fans before the day is at hand.

Pitcher Wood Resigns.

President Taylor has heard from his latest acquisition, Joe Wood, the Kansas City pitcher. Wood balks at joining the Red Sox, as he wants a Cy Young salary, and refuses to report unless the maxuma is forthcoming. The Red Sox magnate offered Wood a salary about half as much again as he got from Kansas City, and he would draw an extra month's pay owing to the length of the American League season, but the inducements failed to land the pitcher. Wood said in his letter that he has gone to his home in Ness City, Kan., where he will think the matter over and write again.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	70	63	.621
St. Louis	67	70	.489
Chicago	67	71	.486
Cleveland	65	71	.478
Philadelphia	45	94	.324
Boston	43	96	.309
Washington	42	96	.304
New York	42	97	.302

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Boston, 4; Chicago, 1.
St. Louis-New York, postponed (Now York team delayed by wreck).
Detroit, 5; Washington, 3.
Cleveland, 7; Washington, 8.

GAMES TO-DAY.

Boston at Chicago,
New York at St. Louis,
Philadelphia at Detroit,
Washington at Cleveland.

McGraw Is Dead Sore Over Weimer's Actions

GIANTS TO CLAIM PITCHER SPADE

BY SAM CRANE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Pitcher Weimer's continued delay in reporting to the New York club, when he has been legally released to the Giants as a result of direct purchase from the Cincinnati club, has dually aroused President Brush and Manager Mcitraw to take action.

It is said that President Brush has demanded of President Herrmann of the Cincinnati club to either produce Weimer, for which the purchase price has been paid, or else leave Pitcher Spade here with the Giants.

Now, baseball law, as everybody who is posted knows, will not conform to the law of the land, but there has got to be rules and regulations made and lived up to that affect the relations of players and clubs, which prevent the "dumping" of players from one club to another, or else there would be chaos in the baseball business.

According to baseball law as dispensed by the National Commission, Weimer belongs to the New York club, but the player, through some false idea that a big price was paid for his transfer from the Cincinnati to the New York club, has kicked over the traces and refuses to report until he gets a share of the imagined purchase money.

Now, as a matter of fact, there was not a dollar that figured in Weimer's transfer, only the regular waiver price of $1,500, and the New York club summed with the deal is content to pay Weimer the same salary he would have received had he remained a member of the Cincinnati club.

Weimer can not be induced to go to Cincinnati, and from all indications the three leading clubs has reached.

Mr. Robison has turned down all offers so far can be says, and also says he has no pitchers for sale, but I would not be the least surprised to see Raymond or Karger or Salles here with the Cubs the latter part of the week. That idea was evoked Monday when Jack Barry walked out on the Polo Grounds in a Cub uniform, for I couldn't get it out of my mind that Barry had been sold to the Giants as a sop for what the Cubs will get later in the week. I say to slaughter, and I hope I am, but there is so much at stake just now in this present great race that I can only think that the West will finish out the race, and that the New York club will pay more money for players than either Pittsburg or Chicago, will get left in the shuffle.

If President Robison has any of his players up at auction and puts them to either Chicago or Pittsburg and turns down the highest bidder, who will wager any shirt would be the New York club, it will afford another instance of how much big-heartedness National League magnates are. It will serve, too, to revive that old "duck's dink" business that figured in National League circles several years ago.

If President Robison is to dispose of the services of any of his pitchers, the New York club is entitled to a fair and even show to secure the players. And if the Western sectional prejudice against the East is allowed to prevail, it will leave a bad taste in the mouths of local fans.

Weimer is said to have been playing "outlaw" ball in Chicago, but whether that be so or not it is up to the Cincinnati clubs to make good their end of the trade. It has been rumored, too, that there has been Chicago influences used to keep Weimer from reporting to the Giants.

The closeness of the race between the Pirates, Cubs and Giants has brought to the front more rivalry between the East and West than appears on the surface. The big bids made to Stanley Robison of the St. Louis Cardinals for several of his pitchers by the New York, Chicago and Pittsburg clubs demonstrates to what a fierce pitch the rivalry between the three leading clubs has reached.

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HECLAS LEAD TEAMS IN RACE IN MILL LEAGUE

There is great excitement in the mill league, composed of those towns in Southern Massachusetts, where the big unanufactures are centered.

The six teams comprising the league are Machinery Press, Manville and Alice Mills of Woonsocket, Farnsworth of Blackstone, Berkeley and Heclas of Uxbridge.

The Heclas are leading, closely followed by Machinery Press, for the past nine years, and is composed of the mill workers and foremen in the mill.

The delegates of the teams meet every Wednesday night to select officials for the Saturday championship contests, and the Heclas have come some lively matches, as soon even who shall act.

The Machinery Press has already won two pennants and are out to take a third one if the Heclas don't spoil their chances.

DOOIN'S WITTY REPLY.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5.—Charley Dooin, manager of the Phillies, was behind the plate recently in St. Louis and he had bagged several of the Cardinals who had trespassed too far off the base paths. Manager Huggins, who is very rage at his players, yelled out: "Stay close to the bags."

"I'll tell you how to keep them there," called the smiling Dooin.

"How?" returned Mr. Huggins.

"Tie 'em," replied Dooin.

LITTLE FAILS TO BEAT LARNED IN MILL LEAGUE FOR TENNIS CUP

W. A. Larned, of Orange, N. J., defeated R. D. Little, of New York, in three straight sets, in a rather disappointing match in the challenge round, for the Longwood Tennis Cup, at the Longwood Cricket Club yesterday. The score was 6—4, 6—1 and 6—2.

Little earned his right to meet Larned by defeating Beals B. Wright, of Boston, in the finals on Monday. The defeat of Wright was a great disappointment, as up to the final match he had played five matches and had not lost a set. He had beaten such men as R. C. Seaver, G. L. Wrenn, and H. L. Stevens, decisively in the semi-finals he had won one of the hardest matches of the year when he beat F. B. Alexander, but Monday he hardly put up the semblance of a fight against Little.

By his showing against Wright it was expected that Little would prove a hard opponent for Larned, but the latter didn't have any difficulty in disposing of him.

Yesterday's win was the seventh straight championship won by Larned.

PROPOSALS.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—Metropolitan Park Commission, 20 Somerset street, sealed proposals for building a reinforced concrete bridge over Stony Brook, in Hyde Park, Middlesex Fells Reservation, Medford, will be received at the office of the Metropolitan Park Commission, 14 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., until 12 m. on Tuesday, August 11, 1908, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Bids must be made upon blanks to be furnished by the Commission, and must be accompanied by the necessary information and blanks will be furnished upon application at the office of the Commission or by mail upon the payment of a deposit of $2.00, said amount to be returned if the plans are returned in good condition within ten days after the opening of bids. Bidders will be required to submit with the completed bid a certified check for the sum of $2,000, said amount to be forfeited to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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$1,500 CHALMER DETROIT CAR ATTRACTS ATTENTION

By J. C. KERRISON.

The first of the new popular priced high-grade cars to be shown in this city is the $1,500 Chalmer Detroit, which arrived at the salesroom of the Whitten-Gilmore Company in this city yesterday morning, and which attracted no end of attention throughout the day. Much has been said of this car in the preliminary advertising, but it can honestly be said that nothing what ever was exaggerated; in fact the car is much better appointed and finished than any one would imagine, and the local company should feel well pleased with having charge of the local selling end of the Chalmer Detroit. The new car has the engine in which construction and workmanship shows the best of engineering talent and consideration. The four cylinders are cast together as in the case of foreign cars, while the motor clutch and transmission form a single unit so that they cannot get out of alignment. The body is supported the same time and the springing and everything connected with the car is of the most substantial character possible. Everything is as it should be, absolutely complete and finished, there not being one single make shift in either the power plant or the body construction.

Reed Underhill Company is naturally much pleased with the interest shown in the Knox car that has been winning exceptional honors on the track and in the hill climbing contests of the past few months. Victory after victory has been captured, but none were more gratifying or decisive than was that of the car at the recent Wildwood, N. J., straight-away. There the Knox won every thing in which it started, taking six firsts and three second prizes, the car at times averaging 70 miles an hour.

The Automobile Club of Springfield has certainly gone into the hill climbing contests with a vengeance, having scheduled for no less than twenty-one different events for September 1. The events are as follows:

Event No. 1.—Open to gasoline cars with 60.1 to 75 h. p. inclusive.

Event No. 2.—Open to gasoline cars with 40.1 to 60 h. p. inclusive.

Event No. 3.—Open to gasoline cars with 24.1 to 40 h. p. inclusive.

Event No. 4.—Open to gasoline cars with 18.1 to 24 h. p. inclusive.

Event No. 5.—Open to gasoline cars with 18.0 h. p. and under.

Event No. 6.—Open to gasoline cars selling for $850 and less.

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Event No. 9.—Open to gasoline cars selling for $2,001 to $3,000 inclusive.

Event No. 10.—Open to gasoline cars selling for $3,001 and $4,000 inclusive.

Event No. 11.—Open to gasoline cars selling for $4,001 and over.

Event No. 12.—Open to gasoline cars with piston area 200 square inches and under.

Event No. 13.—Open to gasoline cars with piston area over 200 square inches and under 60.

Event No. 14.—Open to gasoline cars with piston area over 60 square inches and under 90.

Event No. 15.—Open to gasoline cars with piston area 90 square inches and over.

Event No. 16.—Open to all cars of gasoline power.

Event No. 17.—Open to all gasoline stock cars.

Event No. 18, Club Event—Cars owned by members of the Automobile Club of Springfield, all types and motive power.

Event No. 19, Record of Hill Event—For all cars of all types and motive power.

Event No. 20, Manufacturers' Cup—Cup contributed by Mark Aitken, will be given to car making best time in this event.

Event No. 21, Motorcycle Event—Open to motorcycles 30.5 cubic inches cylinder capacity and under.

Event No. 22, Motorcycle Event—Open to motorcycles 61 cubic inches cylinder capacity and under.

Vice President Frank Corbey of the Lowell Automobile Club has practically in hand for the Lowell road race on Labor Day. The affairs have all been appointed and the work of securing the entries is progressing rapidly and favorably. There will be and fourty starters in the event, and in the number will be some of the best known of drivers.

TOMMY KEANE IN THE SPRINT

Tommy Keane, one of the most popular runners that ever pulled on a shoe, will be seen in the starters' line at Fall River, and among the starters will be Caffrey of the Scotch pirate Saturday. Keane, who broke down last year, believed then that his running days were done, but he is coaching where he is coach of the varsity track team, he gave the peg a thorough trying out, with the result that he feels he can still give some of the fivers a lot of trouble to beat him.

Keane was pitted against one of the fastest fields that has been seen at a Scotch picnic in years, but he feels that he can still hold his own with the best.

CONN. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Holyoke—Holyoke, 1; Meriden, 0 (ten innings).
At Springfield—Springfield, 7; Bridgeport, 4.
At Hartford—Hartford, 5; New Britain, 4.
At Waterbury—New Haven, 6; Waterbury, 5.

GAMES TO-DAY.

New Haven at Bridgeport,
Waterbury at New Britain (two games),
Hartford at Meriden,
Springfield at Holyoke.

OUT TO-DAY

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COLLINS IN RACE WITH BEDELL AND M'LEAN

Elmer Collins will have another chance to prove that he is a champion bike chaser, as he meets Hugh MacLean and John Bedell in a two-mile race Saturday under the lights at the Revere track.

The Lynn rider made a big hit with his many friends when he defeated the scalps of Jimmy Moran and Nat Butler, but he has to contend with a better bunch than he met in the Hub city.

It will be a great three-cornered race, as Bedell is riding good but now and both Collins at New York recently, and MacLean only defeated him by a small margin, which is convincing proof that the New Yorker is going to be a hard nut to crack and force MacLain. If both Collins and Bedell can drive MacLean to go at his best pace there is sure to be some flashy riding, and there is every indication that the fans will turn out in force as the scrap is one that will please the fans handsomely.

Collins welcomes the opportunity to get at Maclean while he is showing such excellent form, as he feels sure he can take his rival's measure.

N. E. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Lawrence	53	31	.631
Worcester	49	31	.613
Haverhill	48	37	.565
Brockton	46	39	.541
Lowell	45	40	.529
New Bedford	42	45	.483
Fall River	39	47	.453
Lynn	32	53	.376

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Fall River, 3; Worcester, 1.
Haverhill, 12; Lowell, 2.
Lawrence, 7; Lynn, 3, 10 innings.
New Bedford, 5; Brockton, 4 (10 innings).

GAMES TO-DAY.

Worcester at New Bedford,
Brockton at Fall River,
Haverhill at Lawrence,
Lynn at Lowell.

PAPKE LEARNED SOMETHING IN KETCHEL BOUT

According to Billy Papke that decision which Ketchel got over him did him a lot of good as he learned things and he will show it when he faces Willie Lewis in the Armory Club August 13.

Papke says: "That defeat was the best thing that ever happened to me. Up to the time Ketchel hit me that blow I had been in the habit of dashing in at an opponent recklessly, always open to receive chance blows. When you see me in action against Willie Lewis you will see me more careful, for I know that Lewis can hit just as hard as Ketchel, and I'm not taking any chances of receiving another knock-out like my recent."

Lewis will leave New York to-day and will be in Boston Thursday. Take for your match. He says that this is the chance that he has been looking for and is very confident of the outcome. Quite a number of New York sports have come to Boston in their belief that the conqueror of Papke will prove a surprise party to the Illinois boy.

It is surprising what an amount of interest is displayed over the bout, especially by out-of-town members of the Armory Club, who have made arrangements to attend the testimonial to Cy Young and then the witness the bout between Lewis and the fair-famed Papke.

SHRUBB RUNS AT ST. AUGUSTINE GAMES TO-DAY

The best of amateur and professional sports are scheduled at the St. Augustine's Games to-day on the Locust street grounds, South Boston.

The full list of amateur events, which begin at 10 o'clock is as follows: 100-yard dash, 440 yard run, 880 yard run, one-mile run, two-mile steeplechase, 120-yard hurdles, 120-yard hurdle handicap, putting sixteen-pound shot, running high jump, running broad jump, 220-yard and 440-yard dashes for novices, obstacle and three-legged races.

The professional events will begin at 6 P. M. with a 10-mile handicap run. In which the two world's champions, Alfred Shrubb of England and Jimmy Duffy of Hyde Park are pitted against the best professionals in the New England States. 120-yard Irish and American championships in steeplechasing and hurdling, one mile exhibition run, and 440-yard dashes for novices, obstacle and three-legged races.

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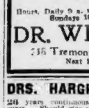

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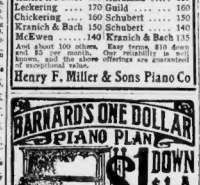

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Sale of Prison-Made Goods

An Old Opinion with Readers of These Columns

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We condemn the manufacture and sale of prison-made goods in the open market in competition with free-labor-manufactured goods. We demand that convicts be employed directly by the different States in the manufacture of products for use in State institutions, and in making good roads, and in no case shall convicts be hired out to contractors or sub-contractors.

We presume that our readers, studying carefully the splendid platform of the Independence party, noticed the plank in regard to the manufacture and sale of prison-made goods, which is as follows:

This is an old demand of our readers. With us, as our readers will testify, beliefs are not put on and put off to suit the time. On May 6, 1898, more than ten years ago, when an effort was made to have convicts manufacture clothing for soldiers, the following appeared in the editorial columns of the Hearst newspapers:

It is reported that convicts will be employed to make uniforms for the newly enlisted soldiers. The Attorney-General is quoted to the effect that this may be done legally, despite the law against prison labor.

We doubt and question the soundness of the decision.

We know that the men who fight for this country do not want to wear uniforms made by convicts, and we know that they should not be compelled to wear them.

First, comes the right of HONEST labor to all the work that is going. Murderers and criminals should not do needed work while good men are idle.

Second, comes the fact that soldiers do not like clothing with a prison smell.

And, third, the fact that convicts cannot do good work, and soldiers are entitled to uniforms properly made.

Give them the best, pay the workers the best wages, let the willing taxpayer foot the bill now, and take it out of the unwilling Spaniard later.

The convicts should have work, of course. They should be kept busy. Teach them to work, educate them, drill them, treat them humanely. But they must not compete with honesty. How ridiculous to erect a tariff against the cheap labor of Europe and force our men to compete with the unpaid labor of the prisons! We do not believe that the authorities will send samples of prison work against the Spaniards.

Every workman ought to say to himself every day of his life:

"I'll never cast a vote for a man, big or little, unless he has proved himself honest and a friend of labor."

He ought to live up to that on election day. The men who do the work of this country can run it if they will. They can be the rulers. It is all in their own hands.

If they will kill jealousy, show faith in their own class, reward in their union principle, intelligence and a good record always—bombast never—they will soon change the complexion of the country.

When we say a friend of labor, we do not mean merely the advocate of union with an O. K. label in his hat and on his loaf. We mean especially the friend of the man who works as opposed to the do-nothing. We mean the man who cares as much for Samuel Gompers as for George Gould, and as much for the humblest shoveller as for Gompers. The first is easy to find. The second not so easy.

We Cannot Attack the Equitable Life Company—

Not THIS Time at Least. Paul Morton's Idea Is a Good One—Good for New York and Good for the Policy Holders

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This is part of a letter which a woman sends to the editor. We condense the quotation:

"I am one of the policy holders of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, at least my husband is insured, and that is all I have to count on, as we spend all we make. The money that the Equitable Society has belongs to us policy holders, at least I understand it so. Am I not right? I see that Mr. Paul Morton, the president of the company, is going to spend millions of dollars of the policy holders' money to build a great big tower, higher than any in New York. I should like to see you attack Mr. Morton for this and stop it. If my husband is able to take more insurance, would you advise us to leave the Equitable? Don't print my name and address, as I suppose the company would get revenge in some way if it knew I had written.

No, madam, the company would not "get revenge." Big companies do small things sometimes, but not as small as that.

Yes, madam, all the funds of the Equitable Life Assurance Society belong to the policy holders of the company. But funds must be invested and made to bring in interest. Investments should be made with great care; the people, or at least the interests of policy holders, should be consulted.

On this particular occasion, however, there is no reason for criticising the Equitable or Mr. Morton. The building of that tower will unquestionably benefit the City of New York and all of the policy holders of the Equitable as well.

It is an excellent advertisement. It will be an ornament to New York. IN OUR OPINION, IT WILL BE A GOOD INVESTMENT. The company owns one of the most valuable blocks of real estate on lower Broadway. It is important to make this very valuable land bring in as great an annual return as possible. The building now upon the land is out of date. Those seeking offices like to be in conspicuous buildings; that helps their business.

When the Equitable building shall be the most conspicuous building on Manhattan Island everything will rent easily, doubtless at higher rates.

The rooms in the tower itself will bring in rentals a good return on the money invested in its erection.

If Paul Morton owned that piece of ground on lower Broadway there is little doubt that he would be glad to build upon it the gigantic, impressive building which he has ordered on behalf of the policy holders—that is to say, if he had sufficient capital. He is therefore doing for the policy holders just about what he would do for himself, and that is all the policy holders can ask, provided the investment of the funds remains within the requirements of the law—and the erection of a great building does come within the legal requirements regarding life insurance.

It is only just to Paul Morton to say that he took over the Equitable Life Assurance Society as president at a most difficult time in its history and that his work, so far as the public knows about it, has been of a kind to inspire confidence.

We certainly should not take the responsibility of advising our reader to change from the Equitable Life Assurance Society to some other company; neither should we take the responsibility of advising her NOT to change. For our own part, we should like to see the nation, with its great resources and undoubted credit, running these institutions on which the welfare of women and children depends.

NEVER AGAIN!

By T. E. Powers

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I HAVENT SEEN THE TOWN THAT I WAS BORN IN FOR 20 YEARS GUESS ILL TAKE A RUN UP THERE.
BE CARE FUL WILBUR
HELLO SYD DONT YOU REMEMBER ME? I'M SMITH THE BANKER I WAS BORN HERE.
WELL WHAT OF IT?
HELLO BOYS! THOUGHT I'D LOOK YOU UP, SEE HOW YOU WERE GETTING ALONG, - I SUPPOSE THE TOWN IS PROUD OF ME
SI PERKINS HE MOVED AWAY TWO YEARS AGO, HE CAME BACK YESTERDAY
50 YEARS AGO IN THIS VERY SPOT, SONNY, I WAS FISHING LIKE YOU
GO 'WAY YOURE SCARING THE FISH
IM BANKER SMITH 50 YEARS AGO I LIVED IN THIS COTTAGE
WELL YOU MIGHT HAVE LEFT IT IN BETTER SHAPE
ENJOY YOUR TRIP, SIR?
NEVER AGAIN
T. E. POWERS

Women Who Play Cards

It Is Not Always an Evil, but When It Is, Idleness Is Generally Its Chief Cause

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

A CHICAGO man is worried about women who waste time in playing cards. He begs me to write:

About the women who spend the greater part of each day looking up prizes to be competed for at card parties. Most of which prizes are afterward changed into cash or exchanged for other goods in the department store.

Think of the aimless, languid lives so entirely devoted to playing cards most of the night and the following day, wandering into the store with such remarks as these:

"Will you please exchange this article, or will you refund the money on this article? I won it at a card party."

This seems a rather frivolous and unworthy use of time, I must confess. There are thousands of such women in the land, but there are thousands of men in "good society" who are spending precious time and money in clubs and hotels and private houses gambling for larger stakes than "whist prizes." Why not talk about that?

Blessing or a Curse

CARDS have always seemed to me a great blessing to the old people who have outlived the active duties and pleasures of life, to the uninteresting individual who found no interest in books or music or art, and to the tired workers in office and shop who found distraction and relaxation in a game of cards.

They can be turned into a curse and a bane, however, like every other good thing in the world—by misuse.

Professional gamblers are a menace to society at large, and the man who wastes his vitality and time and jeopardizes his money in clubs gambling and robs his family of his society is committing moral and domestic suicide.

Such men lose all power of enjoyment for every other form of entertainment and cease to appreciate the most charming home and family. Nothing given them any real pleasure but the excitement of the card table, and the tired body and mind are spurred to all-night activity by high ball, low ball and cocktail.

Entertain Your Wife

WHAT can be said by such men if their wives emulate their example by forming "whist club parties" and passing some of their hours together instead of moping at home in loneliness and ennui?

Of course, the woman with a purpose in life beyond the mere killing of time will find better methods of entertainment. Yet many men object to their wives having any purpose other than domestic and social duties.

I would suggest to the husbands who disapprove of the ladies' whist parties that they plan to devote an afternoon or evening three times a week to entertaining their wives. Invite them to take a drive or go to a dinner or on a little jaunt by trolley or boat once a week, and twice to the theatre or other evening entertainment.

Let him convince his wife in this manner that he is really interested in her having a good time in good company, and I am sure she will listen to him when he asks her to be temperate or to totally abstain from "prize whist parties."

Something to Do

IT is the pride of many men that their wives "are not obliged to do anything but amuse themselves." Dear, unselfish fellows at heart are they in wanting to place their wives in such a position, though they do not realize its dangers, nor do they continue to be practically unselfish by helping entertain them after they have placed time at their disposal.

The most pitiable creature on earth is a man or woman with nothing to do. The overworked people are a thousand times more fortunate.

No man should feel he has done a fine, noble thing when he gives a woman a luxurious home and every comfort and nothing to do and then leaves her to entertain herself day in and out. Better by far set her to work at any profession, trade or art.

Half of the evil on earth is invented by vain, pretty women with nothing to do but keep themselves manicured, powdered and scented and seek for sensations amusing and new.

FOXY QUILLER BUG

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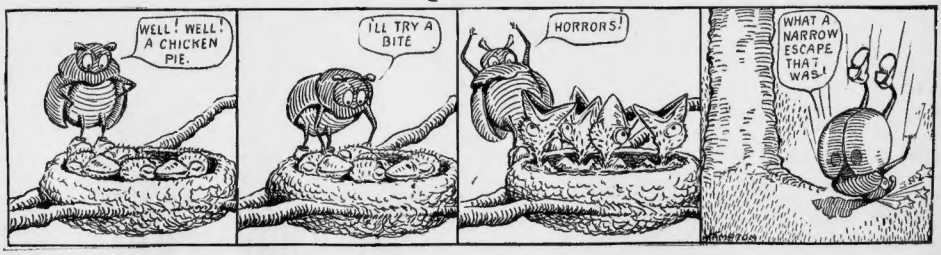

OH, SAY, WHAT'S THE USE!

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H—M, YES — HEART ACTION VERY WEAK—VERY WEAK. YOU'LL HAVE TO CUT OUT SMOKING— ABSOLUTELY CUT IT OUT SIR.
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SURE - I'LL SMOKE 'EM UP FOR YOU OLD MAN.
THE DOCTOR HAS ORDERED ME TO CUT OUT SMOKING.
OH JOHN, THE MOSQUITOES ARE SIMPLY AWFUL. CAN'T YOU LIGHT A CIGAR?
I'D LIKE TO PET, BUT THE DOCTOR HAS ORDERED ME TO CUT OUT SMOKING.
THE SMOKE WILL DRIVE THEM AWAY.
BUT JOHN DEAR, YOU SURELY COULD SMOKE JUST ONE.
NOW PET, BE SENSIBLE. IT'S THE DOCTOR'S ORDERS. BESIDES I'VE GIVEN AWAY EVERY CIGAR I HAD
NOW JOHN, YOU HAVEN'T ANY EXCUSE - HERE'S THE BOX MOTHER GAVE YOU LAST X'MAS AND YOU HAVEN'T SMOKED A SINGLE ONE OF THEM YET.
BUT REALLY PET, I MUSTN'T SMOKE ON ACCOUNT OF MY WEAK HEART MUCH AS I WOULD LIKE TO. LET'S GO IN THE LIBRARY. THERE'S NO MOSQUITOES THERE.
BOO-HOO - THINKING OF Y'Y YOURS S'SELF ALL THE T'TIME T'YOU ARE - AND P'P'POOR L'LITTLE M'M'ME B'EING ALL B'B'BITTEN UP B'B'BY M'MOSQUITOES. BOO-HOO- M'M'MY HEART IS B'B'BREAKING - BOO-HOO - HOO - OO
THERE - THERE PET, I'LL SMOKE THOSE CIGARS BAD AS THEY ARE IF IT DOESN'T KILL ME, IT SURELY WILL THE MOSQUITOES
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